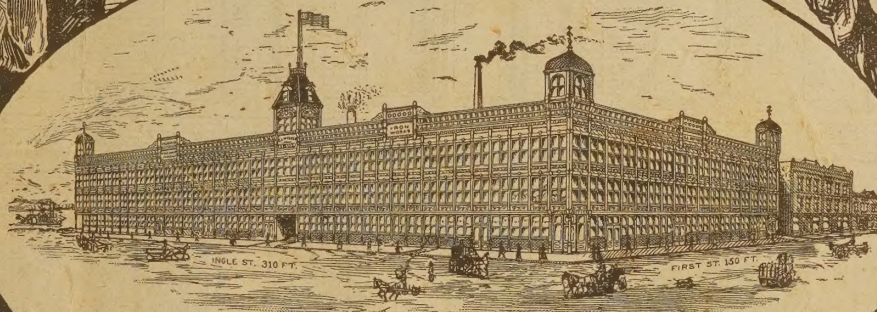


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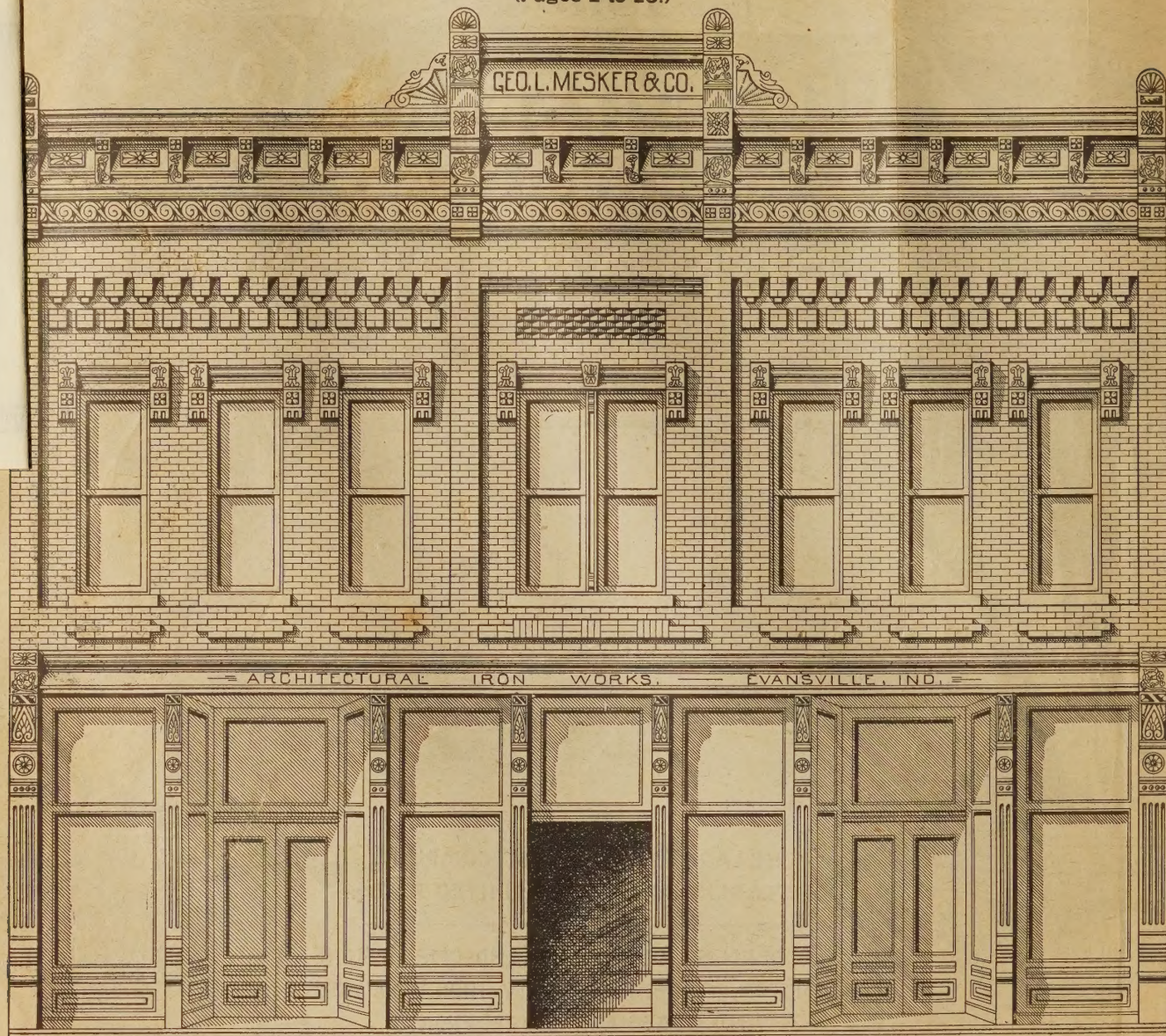
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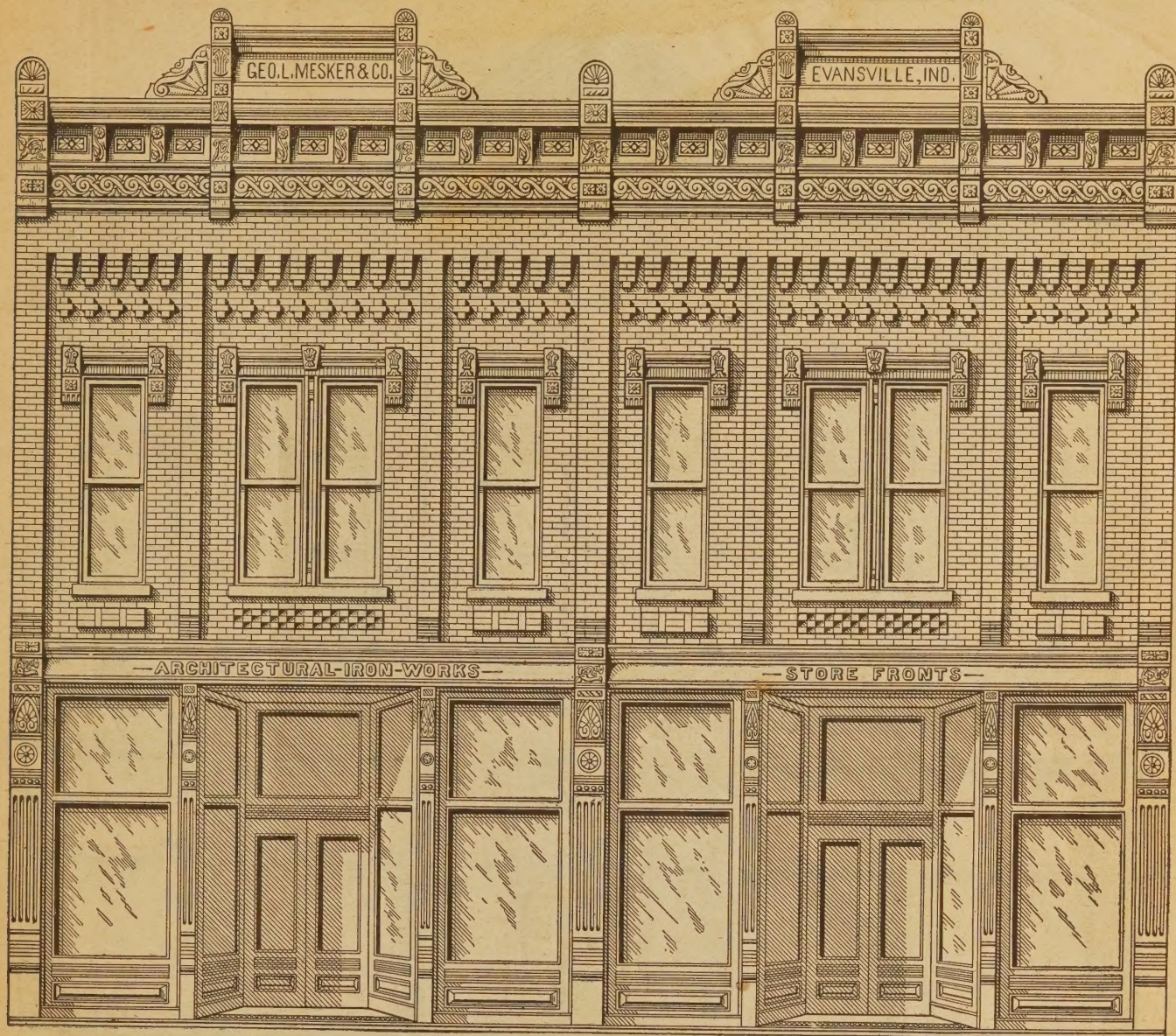
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No. 1601.

A double two-story brick front, with wide stairway. This is an excellent design for a theater or lodge building, with stores in first story. We furnish cast-iron columns, sills and lintels for first story, and galvanized iron lintel cornice, window caps, main cornice and pediment for upper front. Price of cast-iron and galvanized-iron work for 42 ft. front, \$328.35; 44 ft., \$335.85; 46 ft., \$343.35; 48 ft., \$350.85. Woodwork and glass extra. Low prices quoted on application.

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No. 1602.

A double two-story brick store front, with cast-iron sills, columns and lintels in first story. Finished above with galvanized-iron lintel cornice, window caps, main cornice and pediments. This is a very attractive and popular front. Price of cast-iron and galvanized-iron work for 40 ft., \$292.50; 42 ft., \$299.20; 44 ft., \$305.90; 46 ft., \$312.60. Woodwork and glass, extra. We will quote prices on white pine woodwork and plate or D. S. glass on application. Any of the fronts shown in this catalogue can be arranged for buildings of any width, and the arrangement of doors and show windows can be changed, if desired.

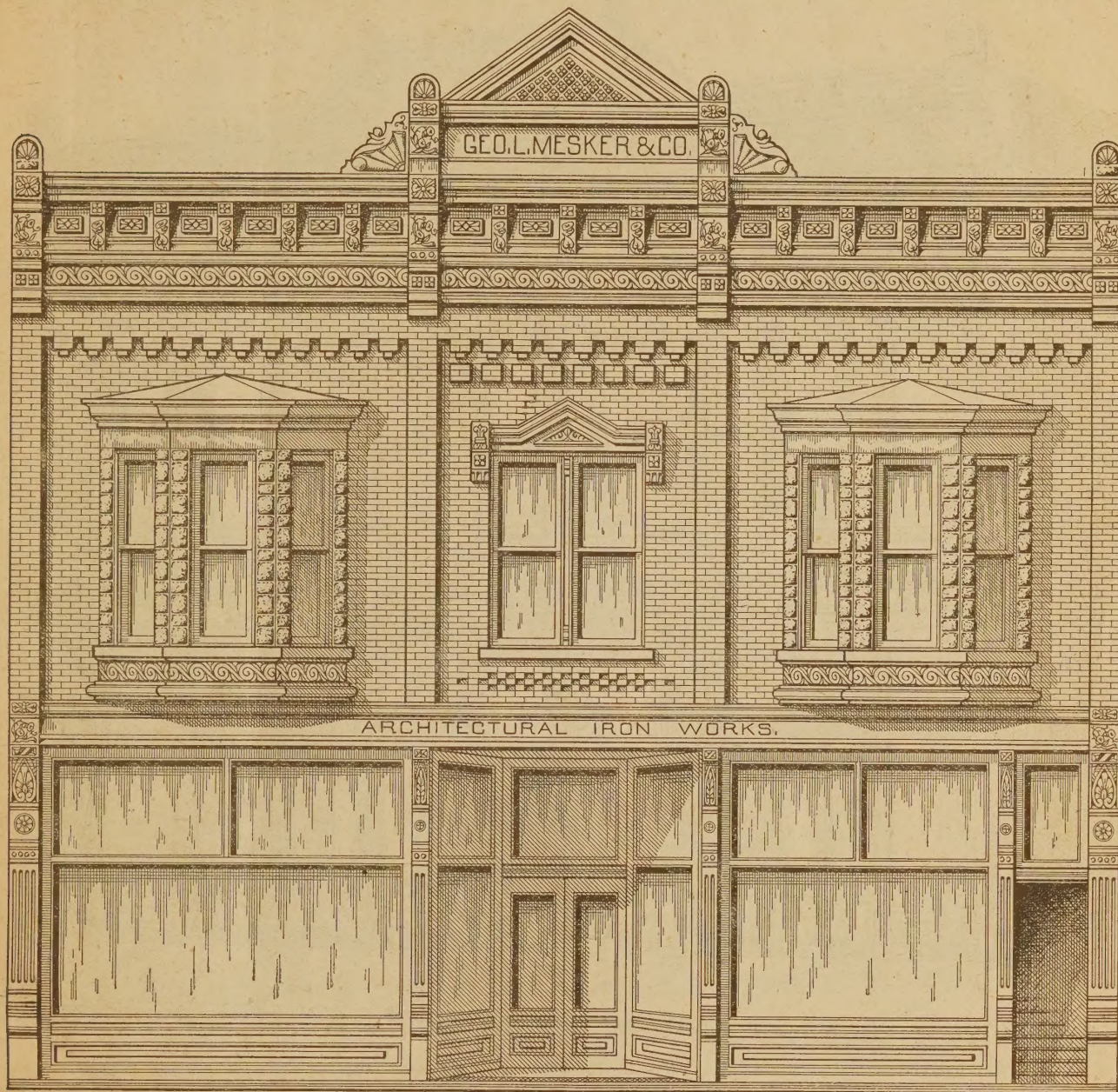
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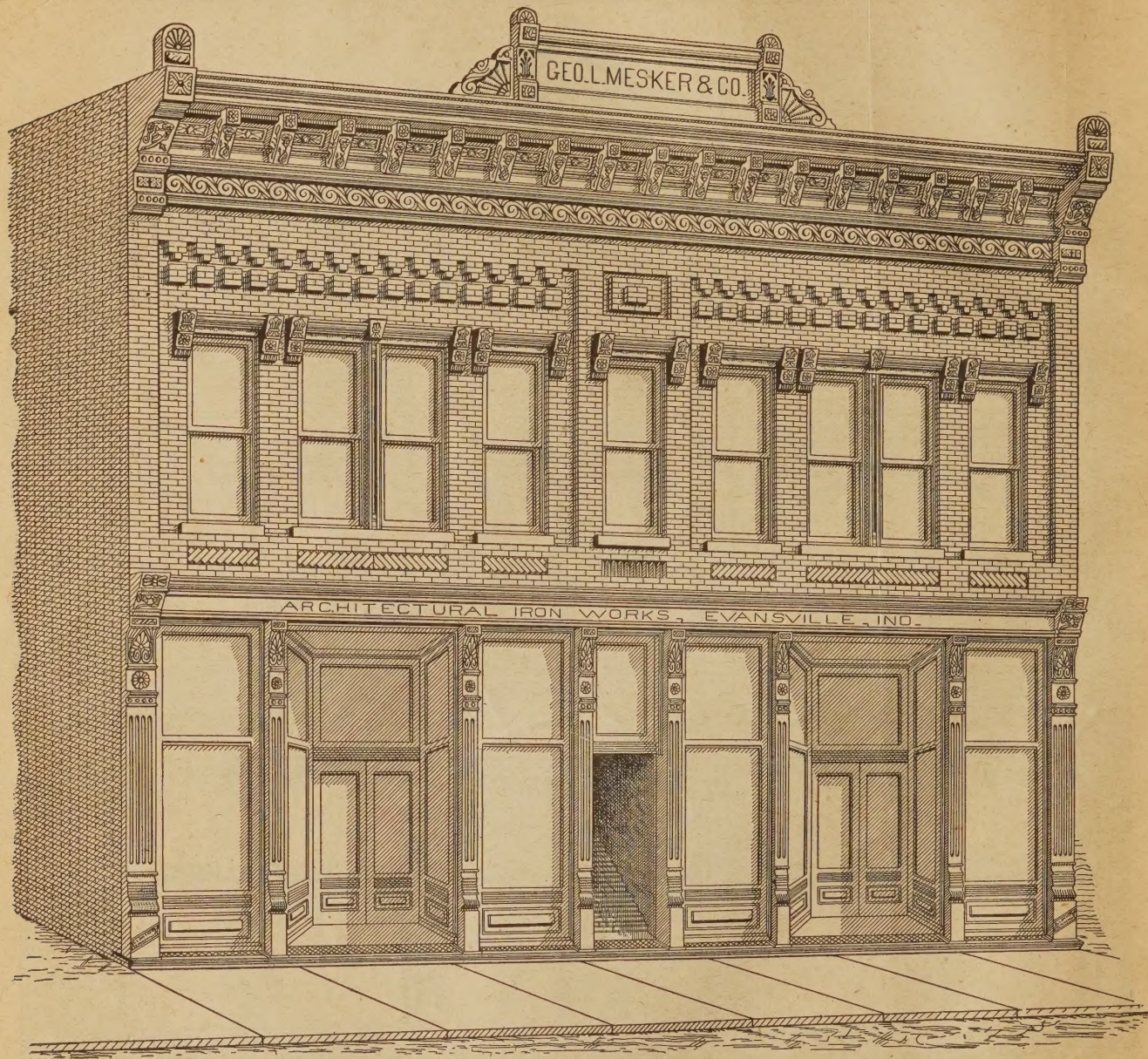
A handsome brick front, suitable for a wide, single store building. This design can also be used for two store rooms with a single recess. It has cast-iron columns, sills and lintels in first story, and galvanized-iron lintel cornice, window caps, main cornice and pediment above. Price of cast-iron and galvanized-iron work for 35 ft. front, \$269.50; 38 ft., \$280.85; 41 ft., \$292.10; 44 ft., \$303.35. Woodwork and glass, extra. Prices quoted on application.

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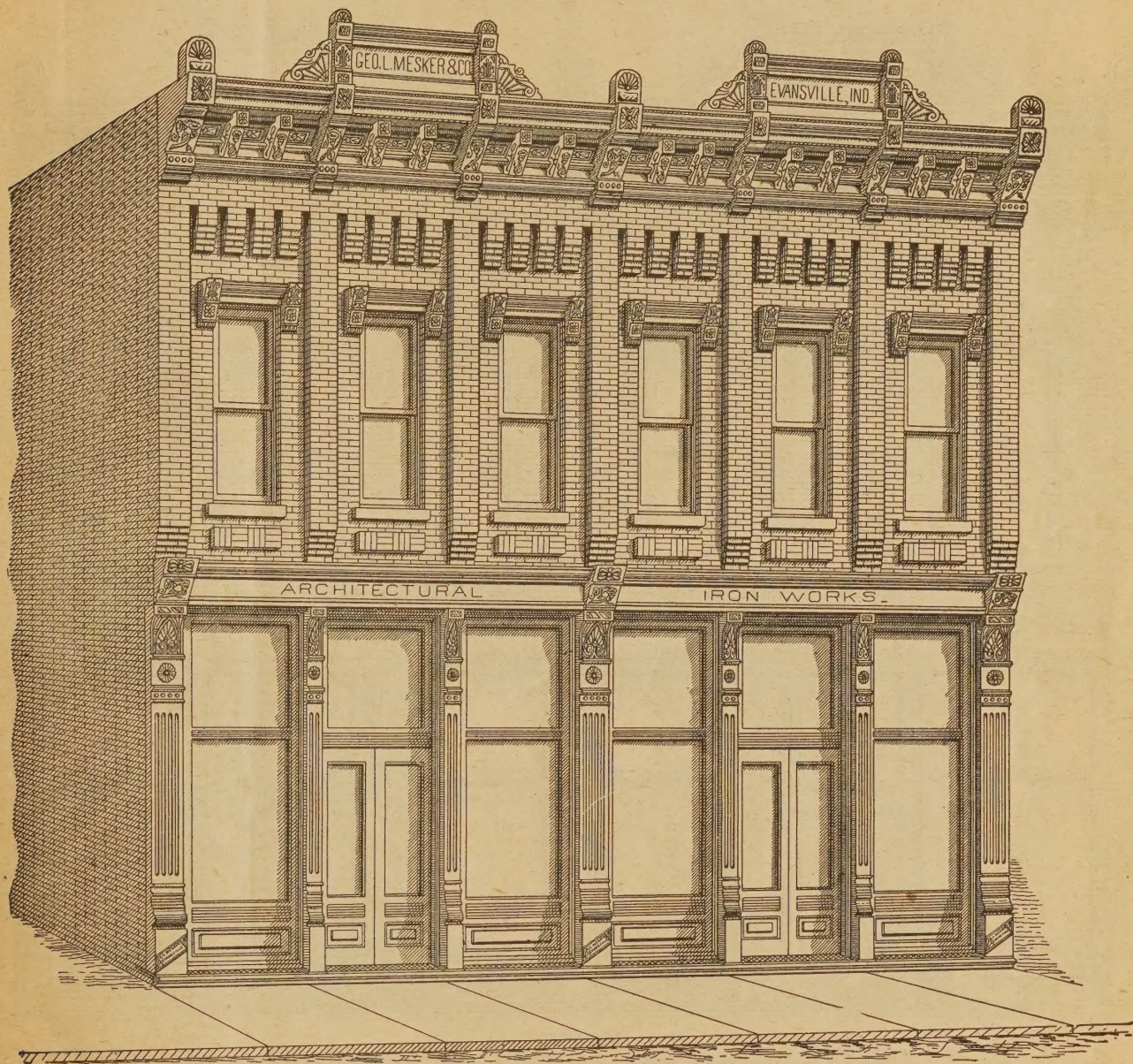
A handsome brick store front, with a stairway opening at the side. An excellent arrangement for a wide store room, with residence or office rooms in the second story. Cast-iron columns, sills and lintels in first story, and galvanized-iron bay windows, lintel cornice, window cap, main cornice and pediment above. Price of cast-iron and galvanized-iron work for 30 ft. front, \$309.20; 32 ft., \$317.05; 34 ft., \$324.90; 36 ft., \$332.75. Woodwork and glass, extra. Write for prices.



No. 1605.

A double two-story brick front with stairway. An excellent design for store building, with offices or residence in second story. Price of cast-iron and galvanized-iron work for 40 ft. front, \$323.75; 42 ft., \$331.25; 44 ft., \$338.75; 46 ft., \$346.25. These prices do not include woodwork and glass. We will quote best prices on these articles on application.

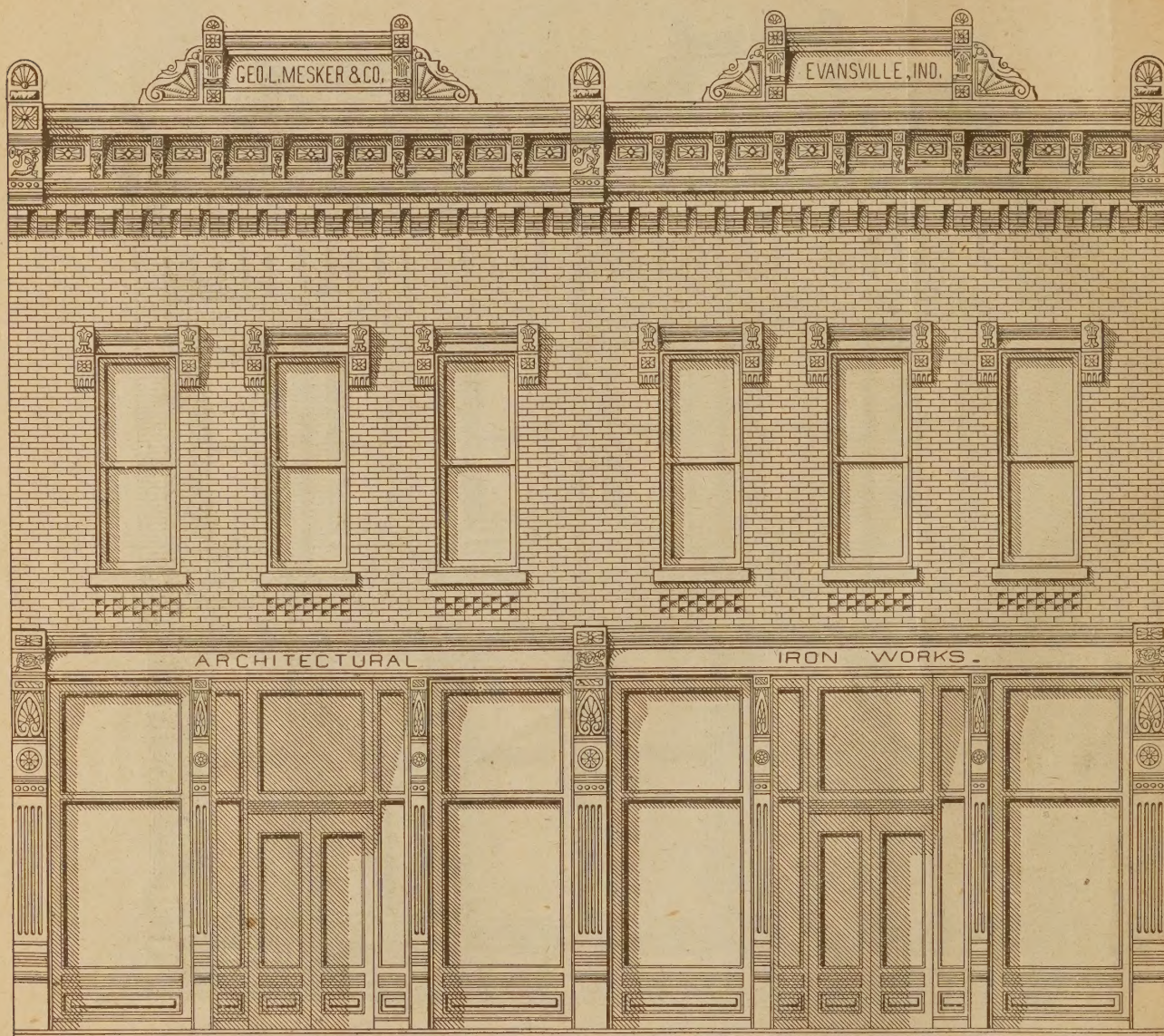
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No. 1606.

A two-story double brick store front, with straight doors. Can be changed to a recess front, if desired, for wide fronts. Price of cast-iron and galvanized iron work for 36 ft. front, \$282.35; 38 ft., \$289.55; 40 ft., \$296.75. Woodwork and glass not included. We will quote prices on application.

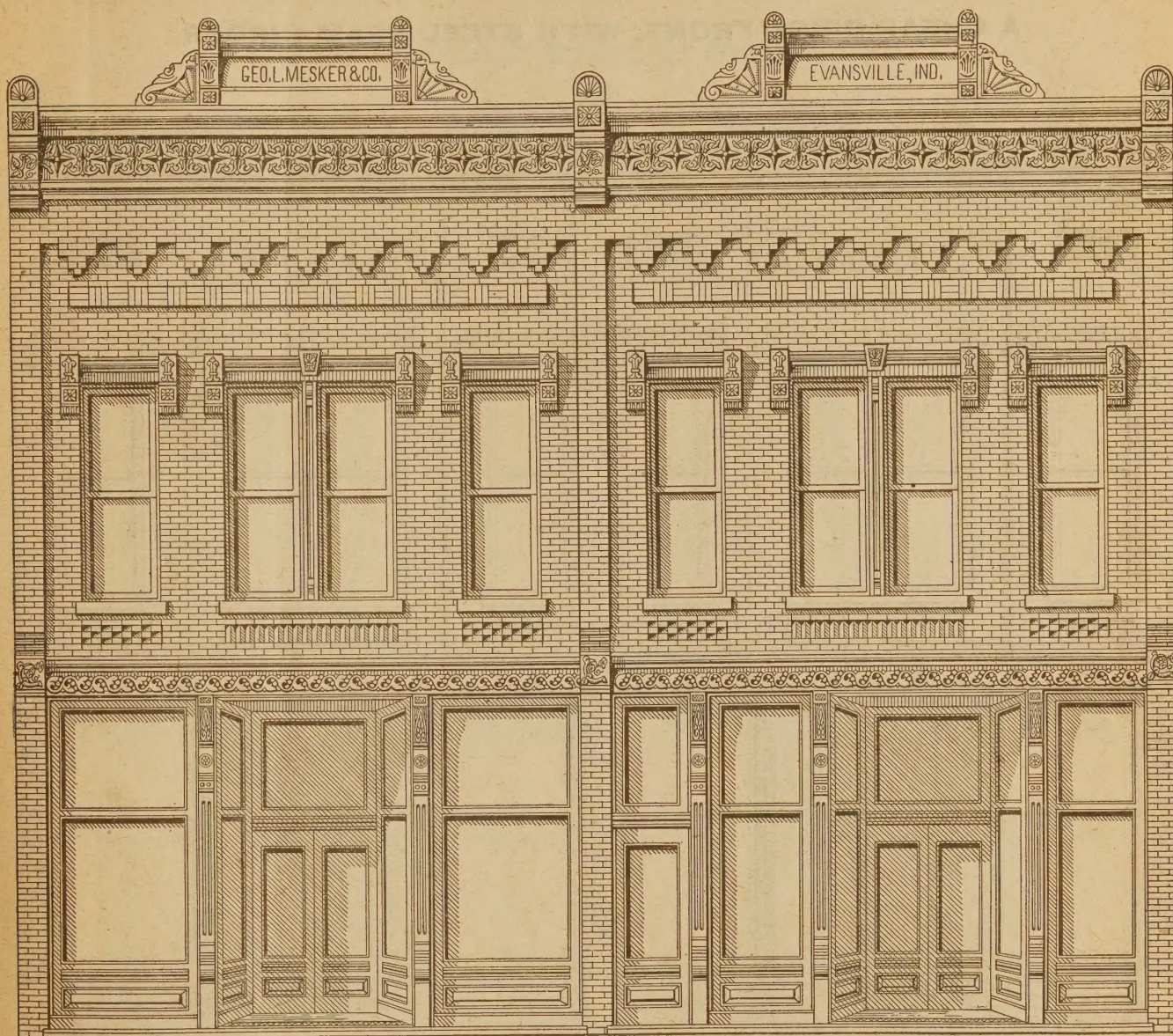
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No. 1607.

This is one of our most popular designs of double two-story brick fronts. It has cast-iron columns, sills and lintels in first story, and is finished above with galvanized-iron lintel cornice, window caps, main cornice and pediments above. Price of cast-iron and galvanized-iron work for 40 ft. front, \$296.70; 42 ft., \$303.90; 44 ft., \$311.10. Woodwork and glass, extra. Prices quoted on application.

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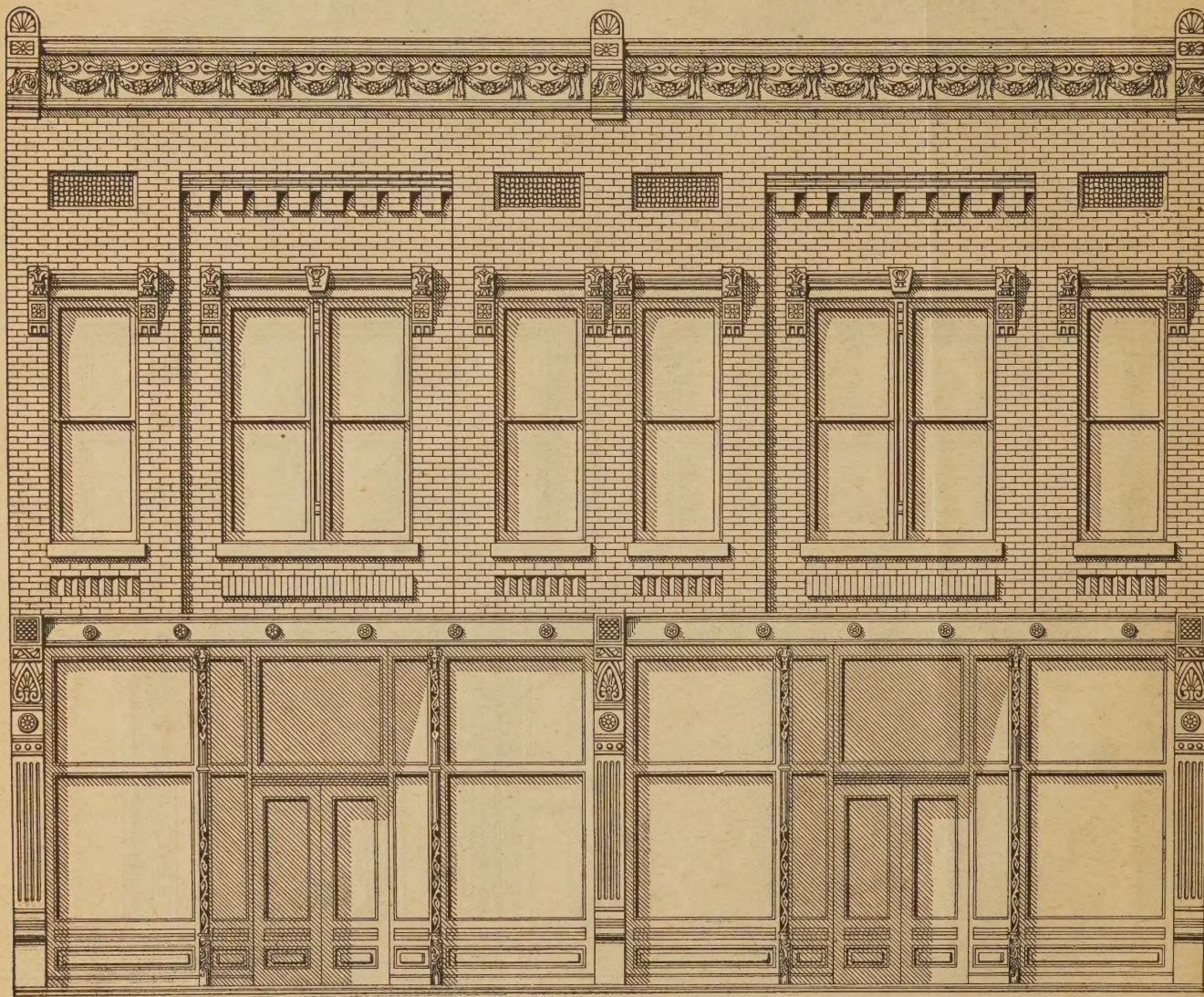
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A CHEAP TWO-STORY BRICK FRONT.

This handsome brick front can be erected at a low price. It has cast-iron columns, sills and lintels in first story, and galvanized-iron-lintel cornice, window caps, main cornice and pediments above. Price of cast-iron and galvanized-iron work for 36 ft. front, \$210.00; 38 ft., \$215.00; 40 ft., \$220.00. Woodwork and glass extra. Prices quoted on application.

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A CHEAP BRICK FRONT, WITH STEEL BEAM GIRDER.

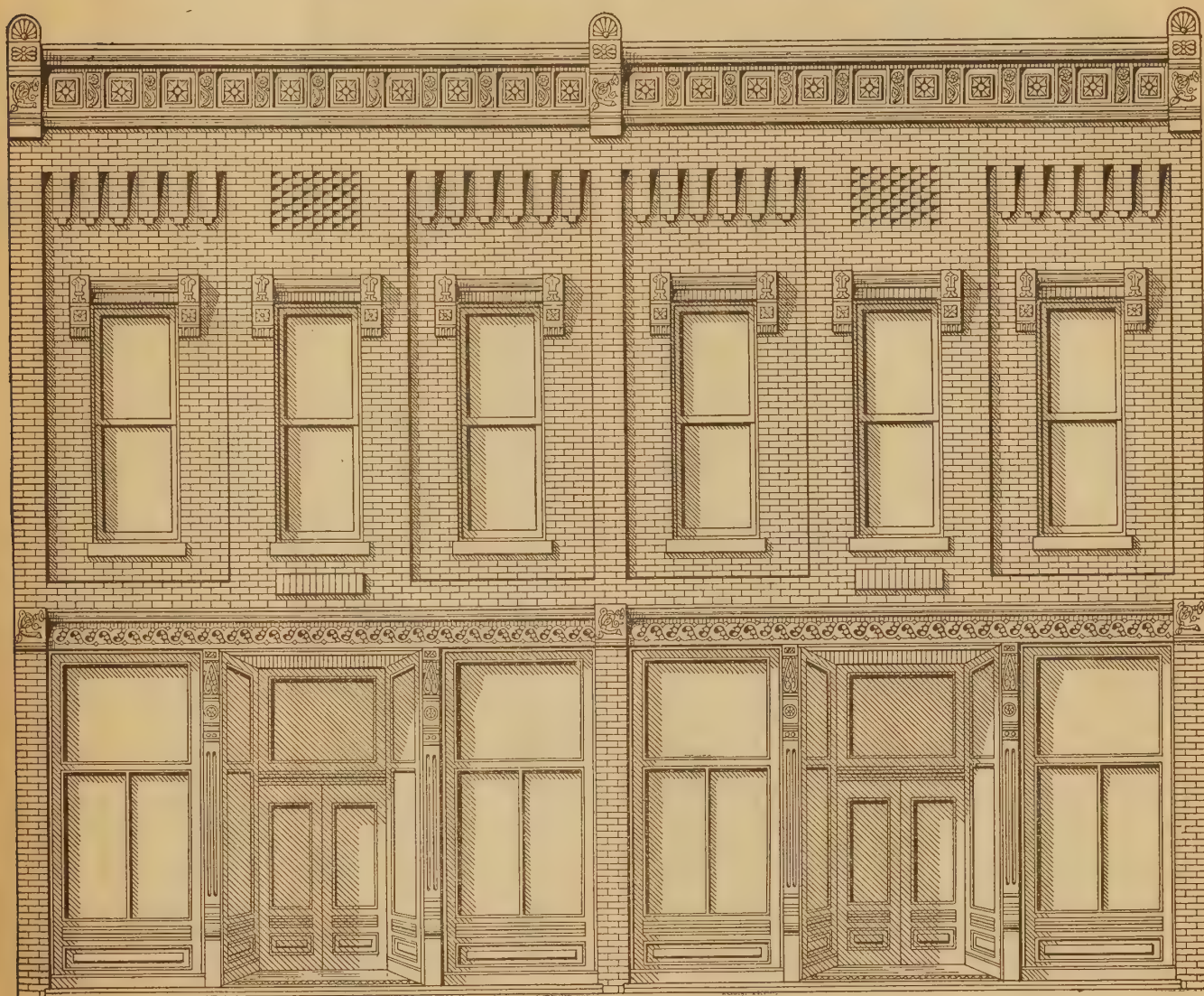


No. 1609.

A double two-story brick front, having the second story wall supported by steel beam girders. The corners of recesses are protected by handsome cast-iron sash columns. Price of cast-iron and galvanized-iron work, steel girders and grates for 40 ft. front, \$262.20. Woodwork and glass, extra. We will quote prices for a front of any width, on application. If the sash columns are not desired, they can be dispensed with, and the price reduced.

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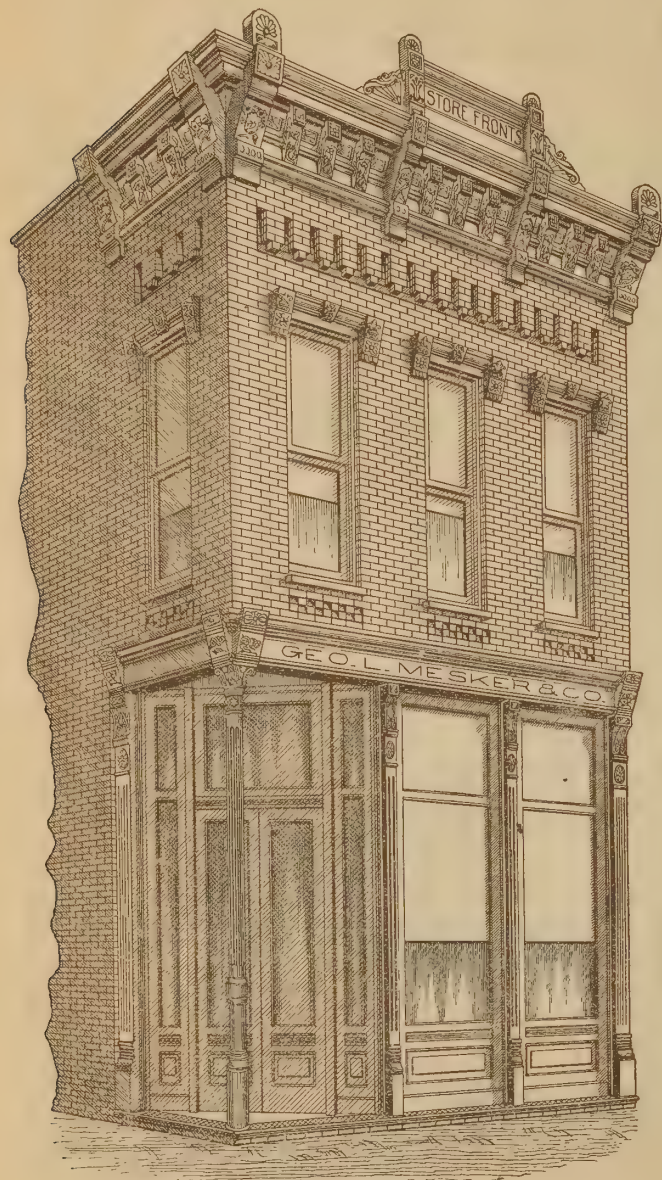
CHEAP DOUBLE BRICK STORE FRONT.



No. 1610.

A cheap double brick front, with cast-iron columns, sills and lintels in first story, and galvanized-iron lintel cornice, window caps and main cornice above. Price of cast-iron and galvanized-iron work for 36 ft. front, \$171.20; 38 ft., \$176.05; 40 ft., \$180.90. We will quote prices on woodwork and glass on application.

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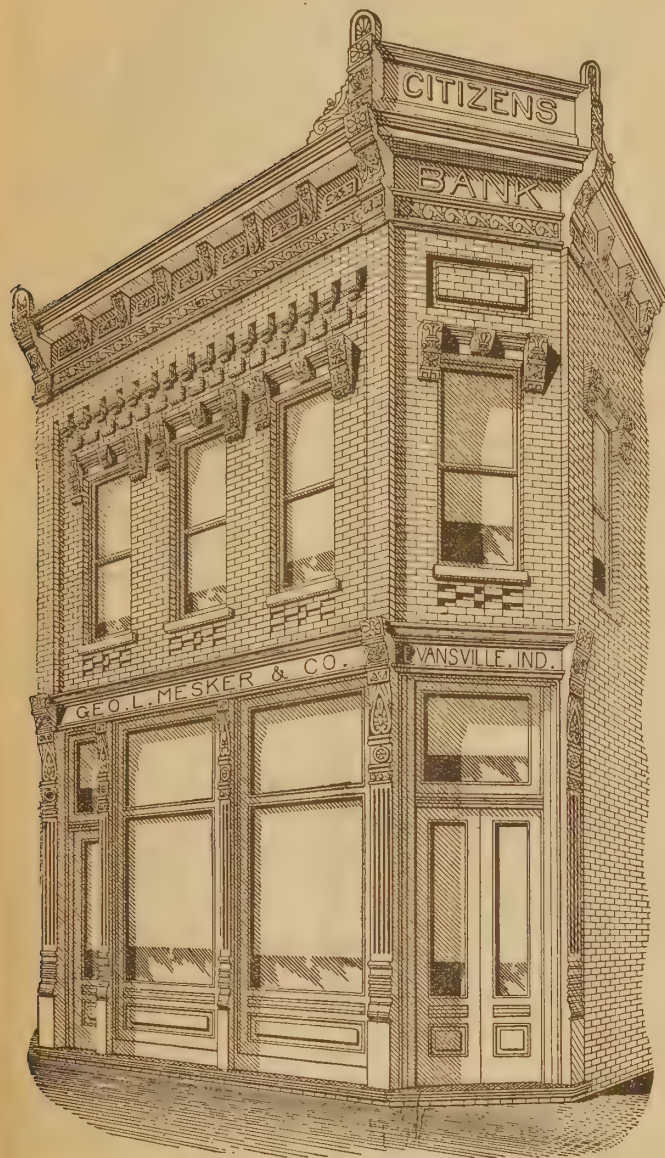
This is one of the best arrangements for a store or bank building with a corner entrance. The entrance can be placed on either side. Price of cast-iron and galvanized-iron work for 20 ft. front and 8 ft. return, \$20.00. Prices quoted for fronts of any width. Woodwork and glass extra.



No. 1612.

This form of corner entrance is preferred by many, the door being placed in an octagon or cut-off corner. Price of cast-iron and galvanized-iron work for 20 ft. front, \$168.00. Woodwork and glass extra. We will quote prices for a front of any width, on application.

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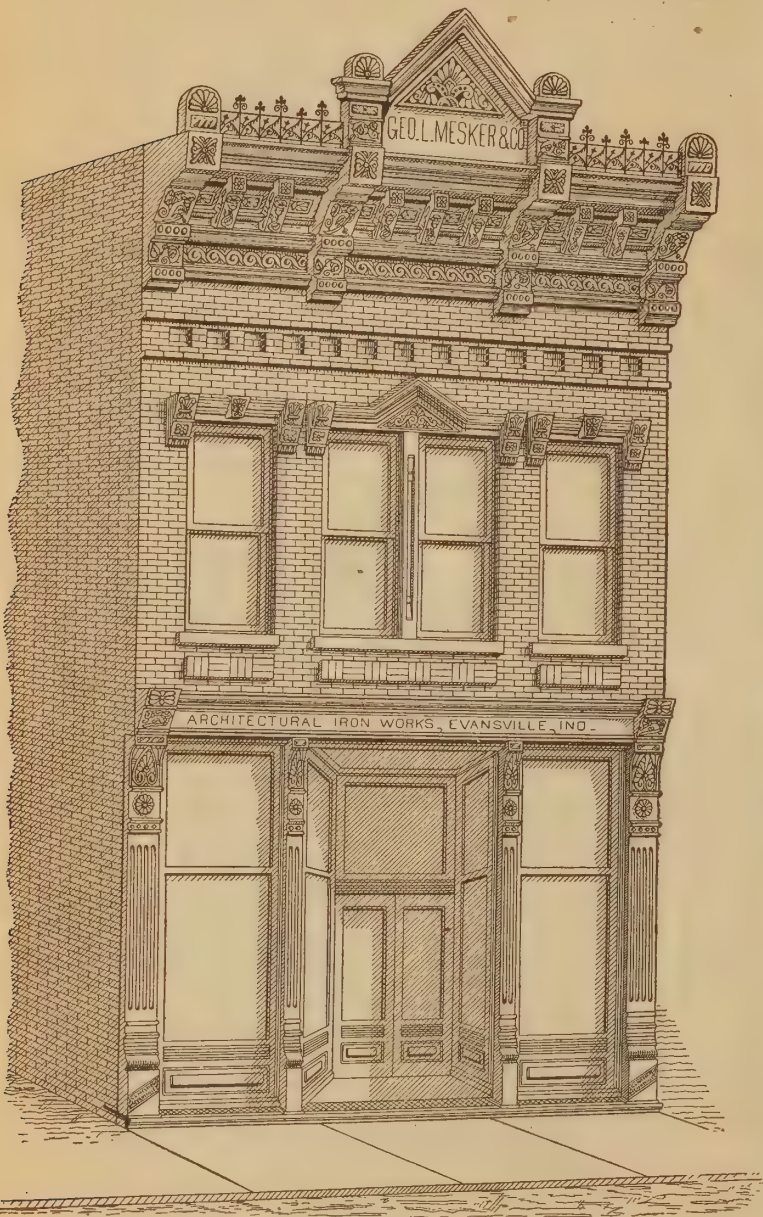
A handsome brick front with cut-off corner and stairway door. Can be arranged for a building of any width. Price of cast-iron and galvanized-iron work for 20 ft. front, \$179.70. Woodwork and glass, extra. Write for estimate.



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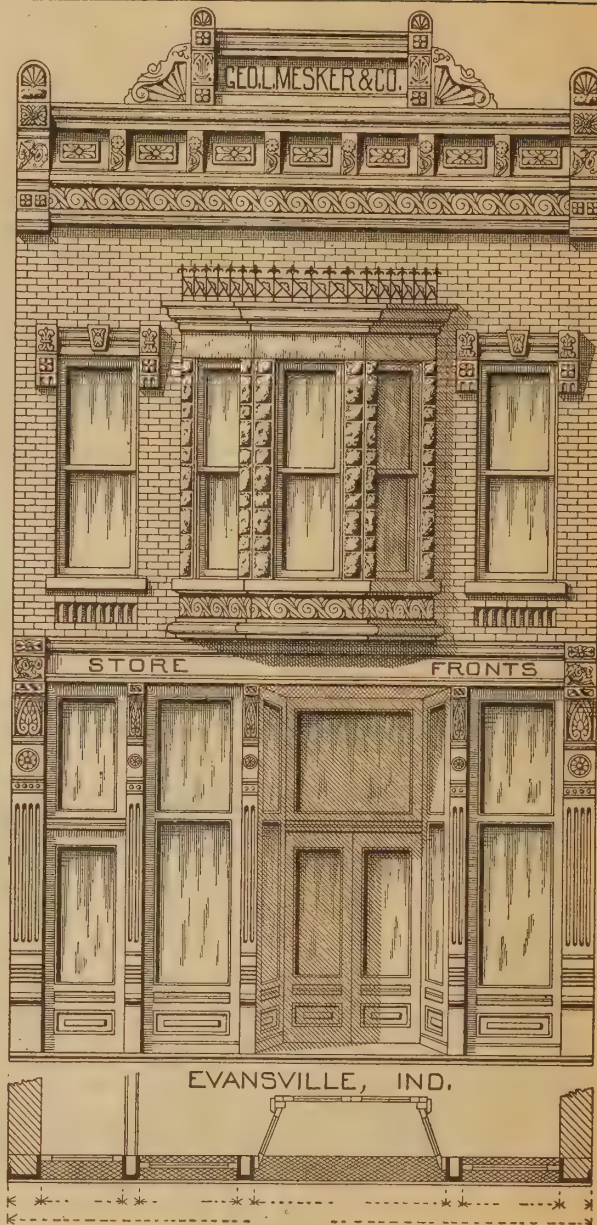
A two-story brick front, with return show window, which can be placed on either side, cast-iron columns, sills and lintels, and galvanized-iron lintel cornice, window-caps, main cornice and pediment. Price of cast-iron for 20 ft front and 8 ft. return, \$216.70. Woodwork and glass, extra.

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No. 1615.

This is an elegant two-story brick front, with cast-iron sills, columns and lintels in first story, and galvanized-iron lintel cornice, window caps, main cornice and pediment as shown, including cast-iron cresting. Price of cast-iron and galvanized-iron work for 22 ft. front, \$193.85; 24 ft., \$203.55; 26 ft., \$213.25. Woodwork and glass not included in these prices. We will quote on this part of the front on application.



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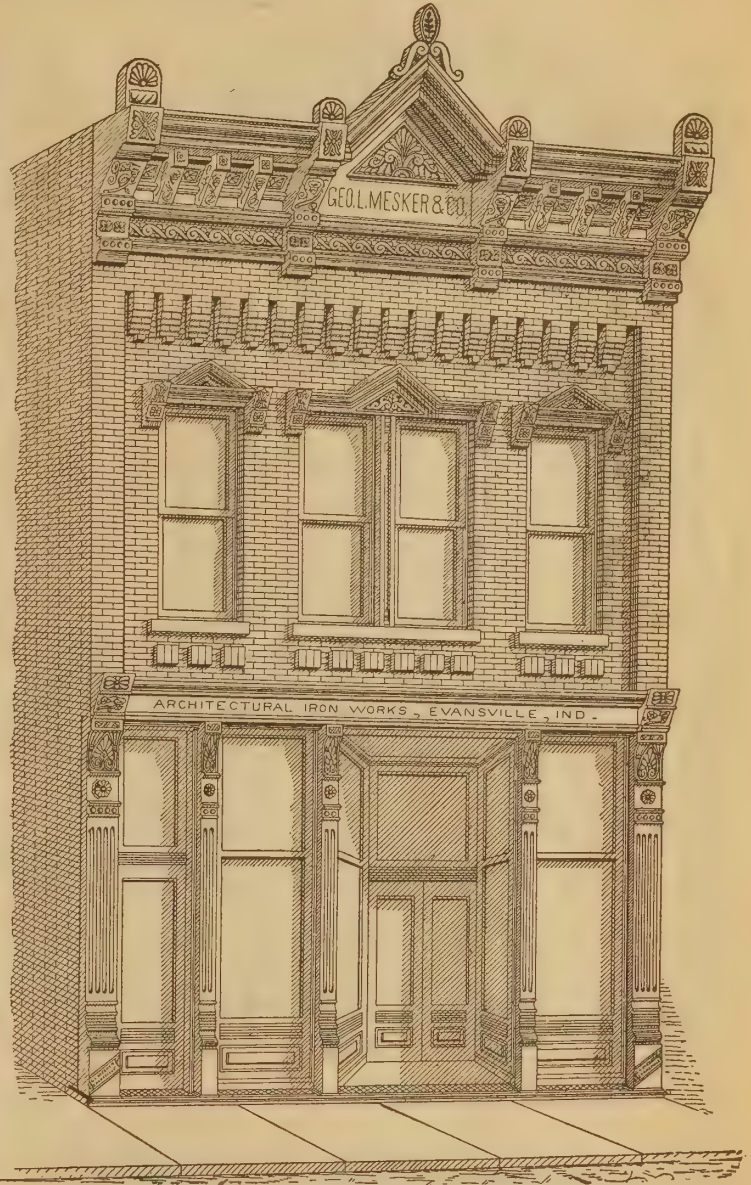
A handsome brick front, with stairway or hall entrance, a convenient arrangement for residence and store combined. It has cast-iron columns, sills and lintels in first story, and galvanized-iron lintel cornice, bay window, window caps, main cornice and pediment above. Price of cast-iron and galvanized-iron work for 21 ft. front, \$206.50; 23 ft., \$212.85; 25 ft., \$219.20. Woodwork and glass, extra.

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No. 1617.

A brick store front with stairway entrance, and all single windows in second story. It has cast-iron columns, sills and lintels and galvanized-iron lintel cornice, window caps and main cornice. Price of cast-iron and galvanized-iron work for 20 ft. front, \$166.70; 22 ft., \$173.05; 24 ft., \$179.40; 26 ft., \$185.75. Woodwork and glass, extra.



No. 1618.

A handsome brick store front, with cast-iron columns, sills and lintels and galvanized-iron main cornice and pediment, window caps and lintel cornice. Suitable for store and residence. Price of cast-iron and galvanized-iron work for 21 ft. front, \$185.45; 23 ft., \$192.95; 25 ft., \$200.45. Woodwork and glass, extra. Prices quoted on application.

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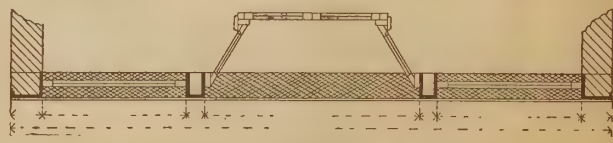
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No. 1619.

This is one of our best standard brick store fronts. All the cast-iron and galvanized-iron work is very easily placed in position, and may be put up by workmen of limited experience. We furnish for this design cast-iron sills, lintels and columns, and galvanized-iron lintel cornice, window caps, main cornice and pediment. Price of cast-iron and galvanized-iron work for 21 ft. front, \$161.95; 23 ft., \$169.15; 25 ft., \$176.35. Woodwork and glass, extra.

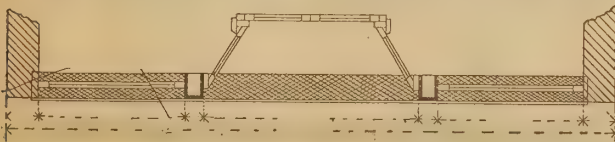
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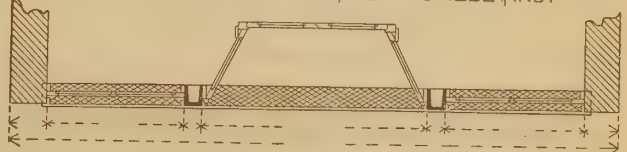
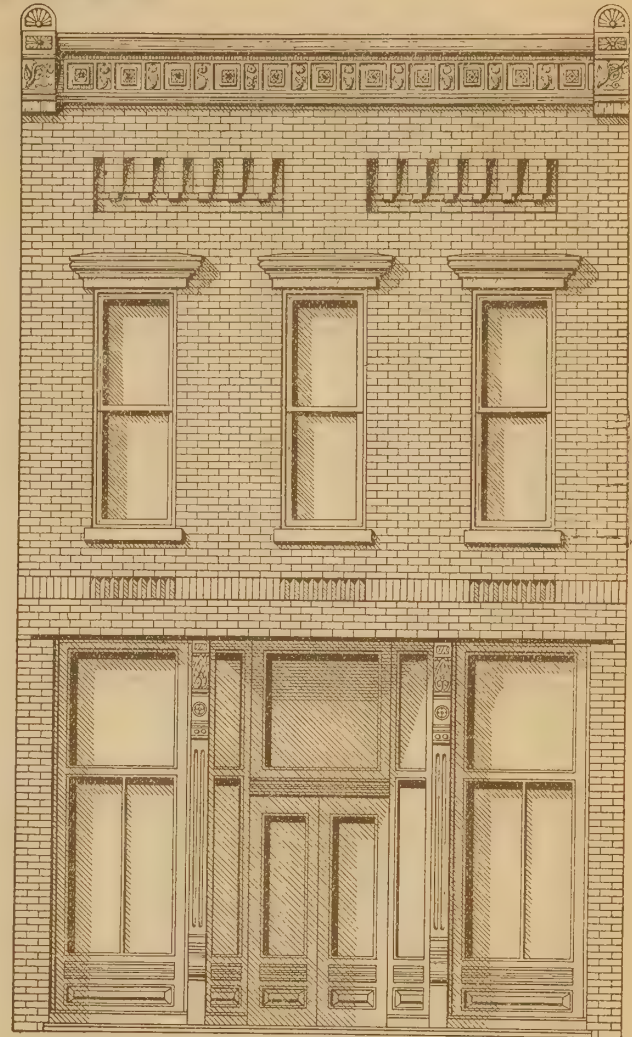
A brick store front similar to No. 1520, but having a single instead of a double window in the middle of second story. This arrangement is preferred for narrow fronts. Price of cast-iron and galvanized-iron work for 19 ft. front, \$153.10; 21 ft., \$160.30; 23 ft., \$167.50. Woodwork and glass, extra. Write for prices.

CHEAP BRICK STORE FRONTS.



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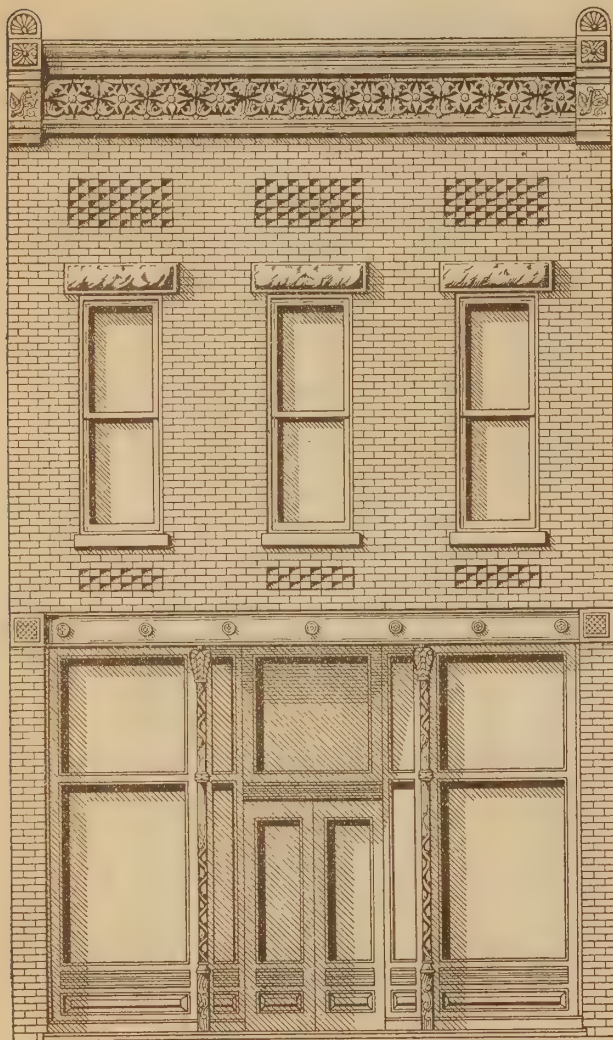
A two-story brick front with cast-iron columns, sills and lintels and galvanized iron cornices and window caps. It also has cast-iron ventilating grates and above second story windows. Price of cast-iron and galvanized iron work for 20 ft. front, \$120.45; 22 ft., \$127.65; 24 ft., \$134.85. Woodwork and glass, extra.



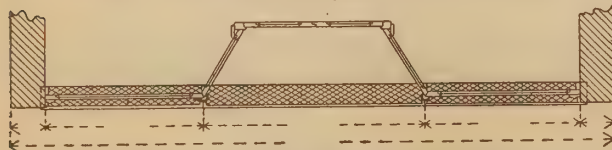
No. 1622.

A very cheap arrangement for a brick front. It has cast-iron sills, lintels and supporting columns, and galvanized-iron window caps and main cornice. Price of cast-iron and galvanized-iron work for 17 ft. front, \$77.70; 19 ft., \$82.05; 21 ft., \$86.40. Woodwork and glass, extra.

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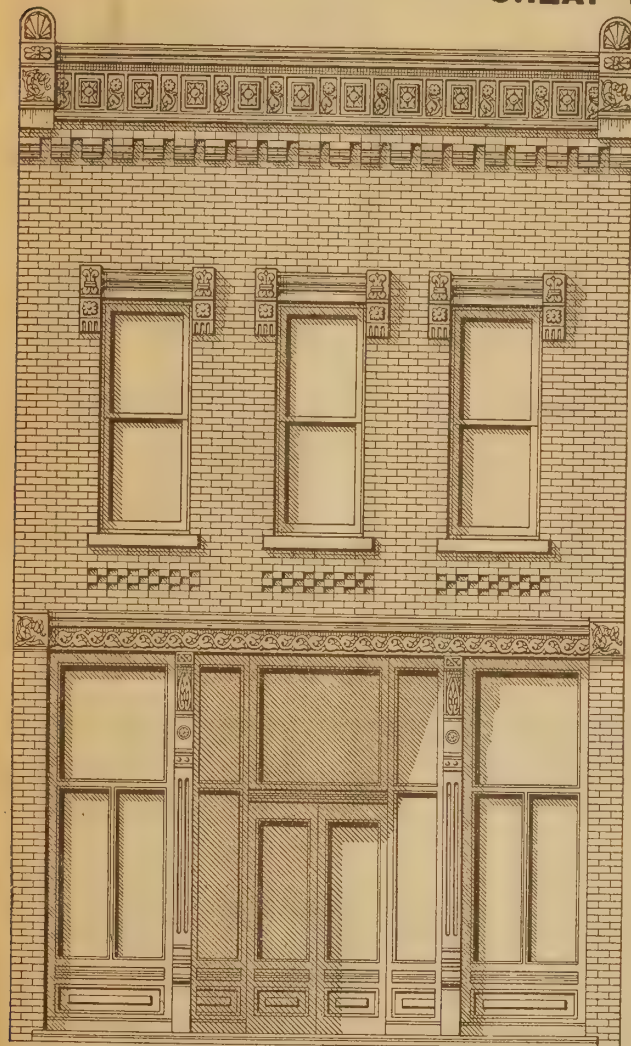
A good, cheap design for a brick store front, with front wall carried by steel beams. It has cast-iron sills and sash columns, and galvanized-iron window caps and main cornice. Price of cast-iron and galvanized-iron work and steel beams for 20 ft. front, \$94.70. Woodwork and glass, extra. Prices quoted on application.

**No. 1624.**

A brick front without galvanized-iron trimmings. It has cast-iron sill course, columns and lintels. Price of cast-iron work only for 18 ft. front, \$80.00; 20 ft., \$83.35; 22 ft., \$86.70. Woodwork and glass, extra.

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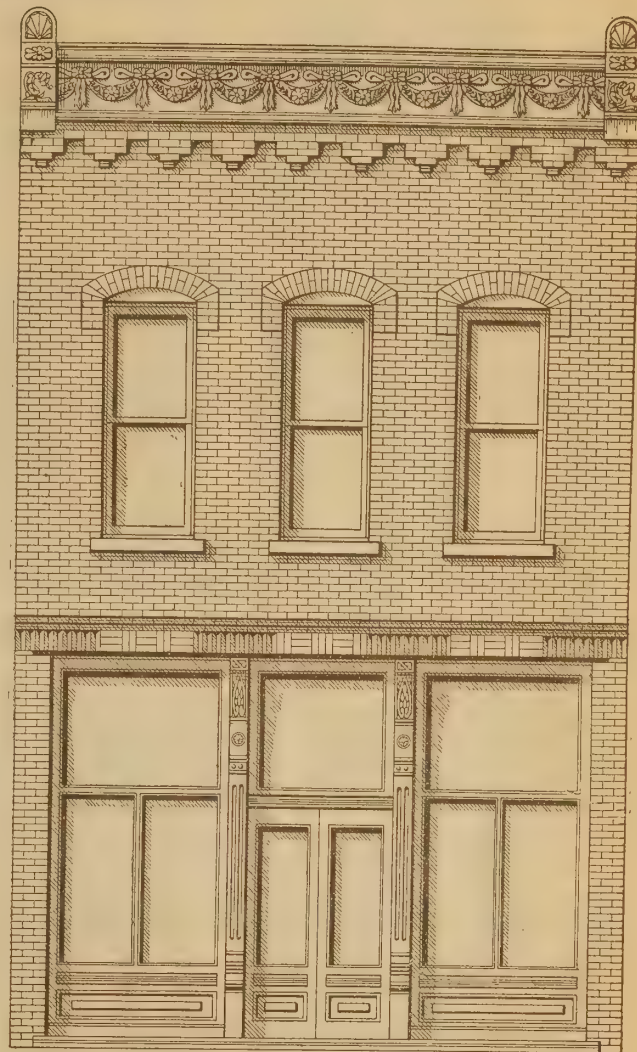
CHEAP BRICK FRONTS.



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No. 1625.

This front is for a brick building, it has cast-iron sills, lintels and columns, and galvanized-iron cornices and window caps. Price of cast-iron and galvanized-iron work for 19 ft. front, \$83.00; 21 ft., \$92.85; 23 ft., \$97.70. Woodwork and glass, extra. Prices quoted on application.

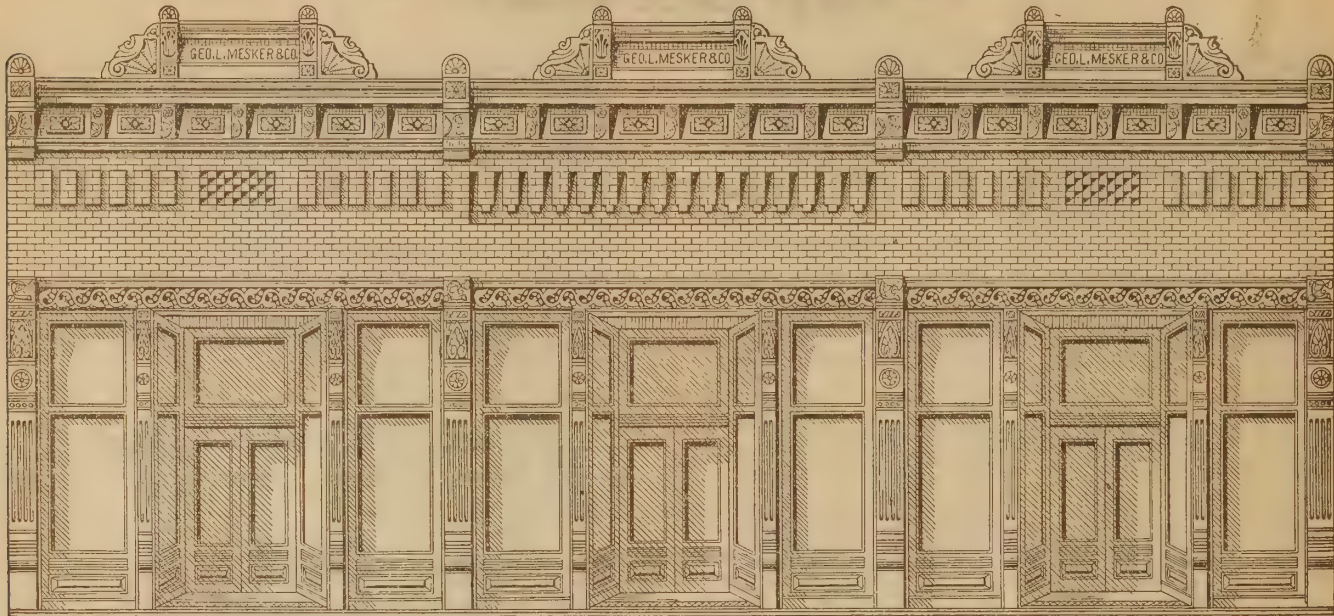


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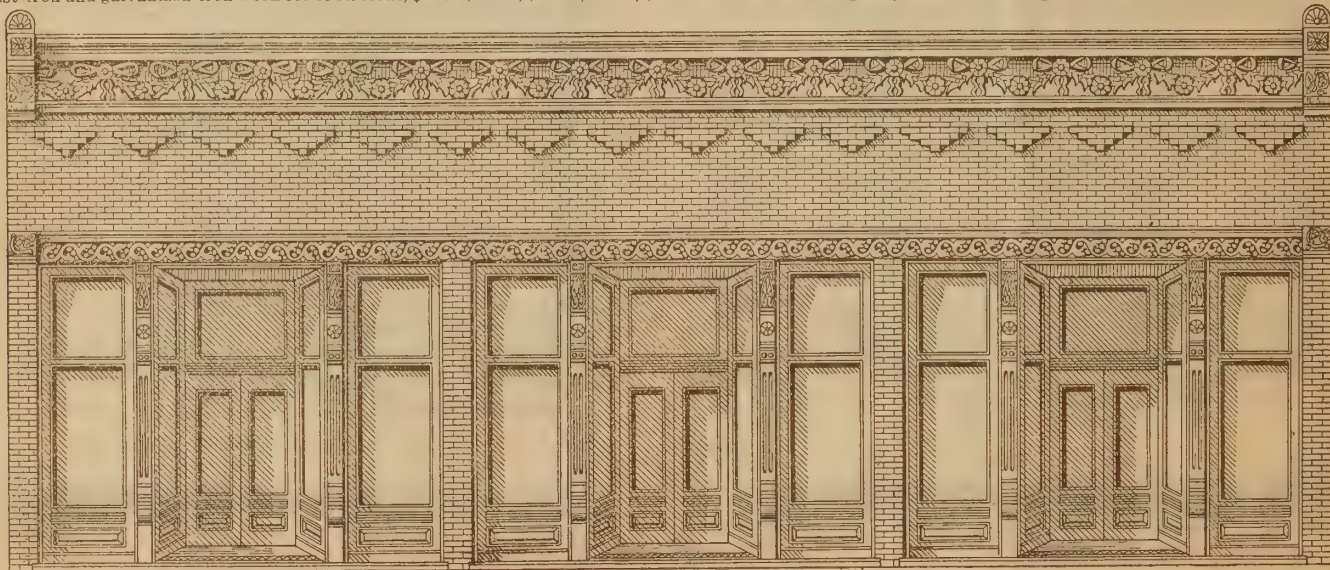
No. 1626.

This is a very cheap brick front, with cast-iron sills, lintels and columns in first story, and finished with a handsomely stamped galvanized-iron main cornice. Price of cast-iron and galvanized-iron work for 18 ft. front, \$72.35; 20 ft., \$76.70; 22 ft., \$81.05. Woodwork and glass, extra. Write for prices.

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BLOCKS OF ONE-STORY BRICK FRONTS.**No. 1627.**

A handsome block of brick store fronts, with cast-iron columns, sills and lintels, and galvanized-iron lintel cornice, main cornice and pediments, Price of cast-iron and galvanized-iron work for 50 ft. front, \$290.00; 55 ft., \$302.10; 60 ft., \$314.20. Woodwork and glass, extra. We will quote prices on application.

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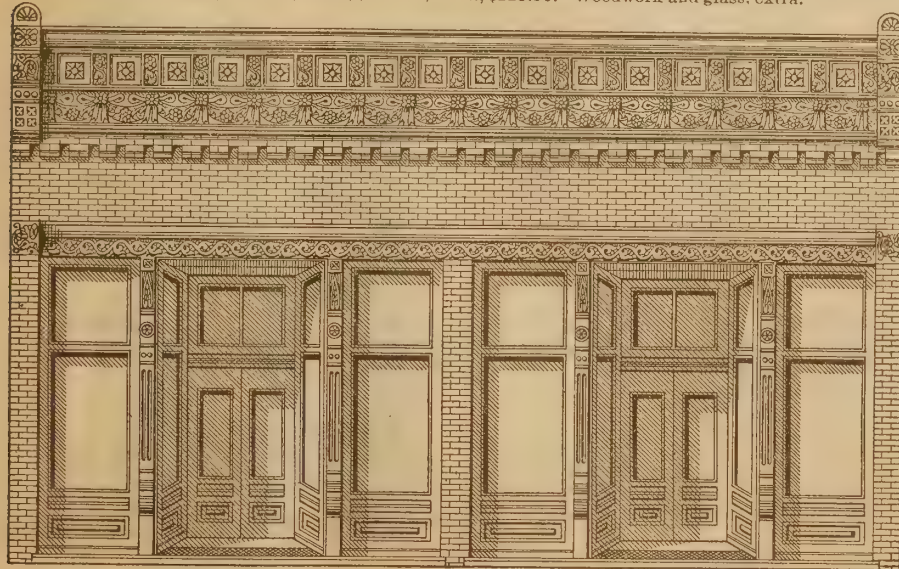
This design for a block of brick stores is very neat and cheap. We furnish cast-iron sills, lintels and columns, and galvanized-iron lintel cornice and main cornice. Our work is very easily placed in position. Price of cast-iron and galvanized-iron work for 40 ft. front, \$168.35; 45 ft., \$178.80; 50 ft., \$189.25. Woodwork and glass, extra; Write for prices.
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CHEAP BRICK STORE FRONTS.



No. 1629.

A handsome arrangement for a cheap double brick store front. It has cast-iron sills, lintels and columns, and galvanized iron lintel cornice, main cornice and pediment. Price of cast-iron and galvanized iron work for 36 ft. front, \$107.50; 38 ft., \$111.70; 40 ft., \$115.90. Woodwork and glass, extra.



No. 1630.

A cheap brick front, similar to No. 1629, but having a wider main cornice, with pediment omitted. Doors may be made straight or recessed. Price of cast-iron and galvanized-iron work for 34 ft. front, \$138.90; 36 ft., \$143.75; 38 ft., \$148.60; 40 ft., \$153.45. Woodwork and glass, extra. Write for prices.

OUR FACILITIES.

We have one of the largest establishments in the United States for the manufacture of Store Fronts. We get out material in large quantities and carry large stocks, thus bringing the cost of production down to a minimum. We are centrally located, and accessible by rail and river to all the great Iron, Coal and Lumber markets of the country. We also have the best of facilities for shipping to all points. All our different departments are separate, and they are managed by specialists. We are therefore enabled to put on the market the best quality of material and workmanship, and make prompt shipments. In addition to our own manufactures, we carry a large stock of

STEEL BEAMS,

and are prepared to fill all orders promptly for girders or single beams, together with special columns, plates, and other iron work. We also have a large department for the manufacture of

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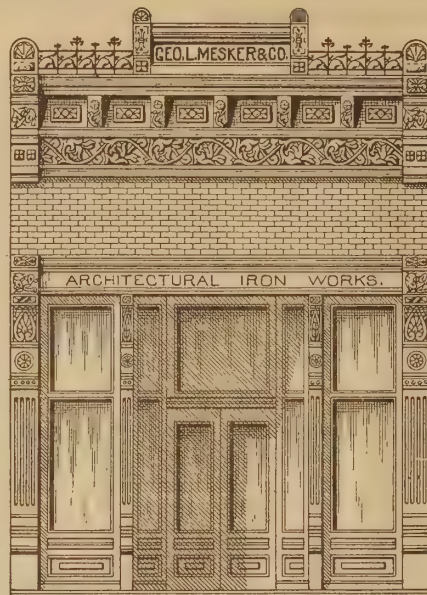
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**No. 1631.**

One-story brick front with cast-iron sills, lintels and columns and galvanized-iron cornices. Price of cast-iron and galvanized-iron work for 20 ft. front, \$123.35; 22 ft., \$129.05; 24 ft., \$134.75. Woodwork and glass, extra.

**No. 1632.**

One-story brick front with cast-iron sills, lintels, columns and cresting, and galvanized-iron cornices. Price of cast-iron and galvanized-iron work for 18 ft. front, \$124.85; 20 ft., \$130.85; 22 ft., \$136.85. Woodwork and glass, extra.

**No. 1633.**

One-story brick front with cast-iron columns, sills and lintels and galvanized-iron cornices. Price of cast-iron and galvanized-iron work for 16 ft. front, \$108.00; 18 ft., \$113.20; 20 ft., \$118.40. Woodwork and glass, extra.

Brick Fronts.

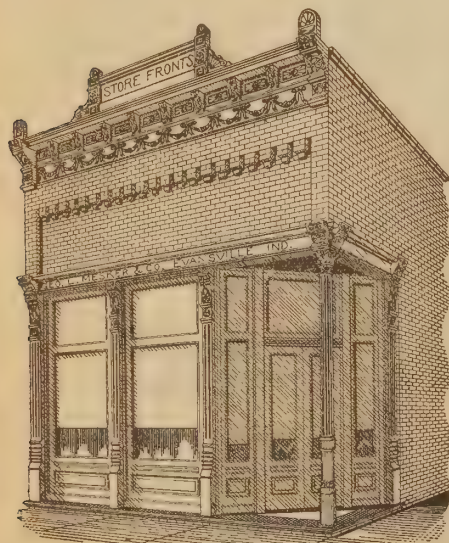
All the designs shown from pages 2 to 24 inclusive are for brick buildings, with front walls of brick, supported by cast-iron columns or steel beams, as shown. The trimmings above consist of lintel cornice, main cornice and window caps of galvanized-iron. It will be seen that we present a better, handsomer and cheaper line of brick fronts than any other firm in the United States.

One Story Fronts.

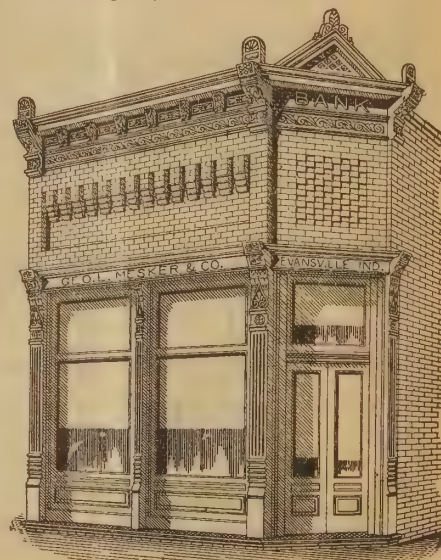
Any of the designs of two-story fronts shown on the preceding pages can be used for one-story buildings. The drawings can be folded down to the proper height, so their appearance as one-story buildings can be seen.

If you intend building, get our prices before you place your order, and you will save money and get superior work, original designs and prompt service.

In quoting prices we will give approximate cost of freight to destination. This will enable our customers to estimate the cost, including freight charges.

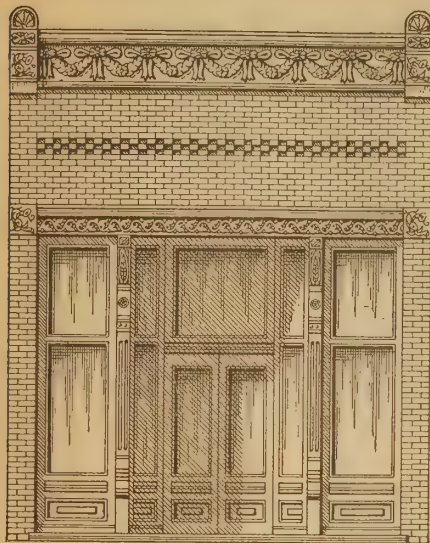
**No. 1634.**

An excellent brick front for store or bank, with corner entrance. It has cast-iron columns, sills and lintels and galvanized-iron lintel cornice, main cornice and pediment. Price of cast-iron and galvanized-iron work for 20 ft. front and 8 ft. return, \$152.35. Woodwork and glass, extra.

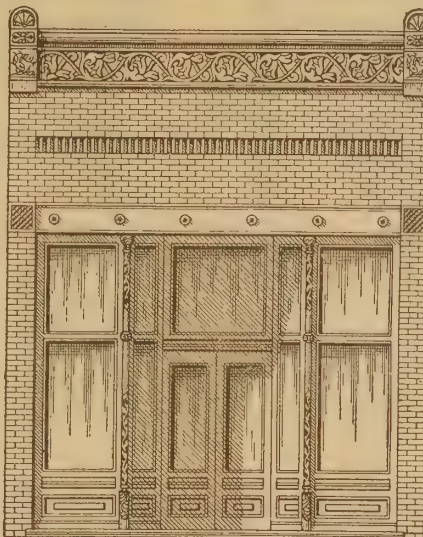
**No. 1635.**

One-story brick front with cut-off corner entrance, suitable for a bank or store, with cast-iron sills, lintels and columns and galvanized-iron cornices and pediment. Price of cast-iron and galvanized-iron work for 20 ft. front, \$135.20. Woodwork and glass, extra.

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CHEAP BRICK STORE FRONTS.**No. 1636.**

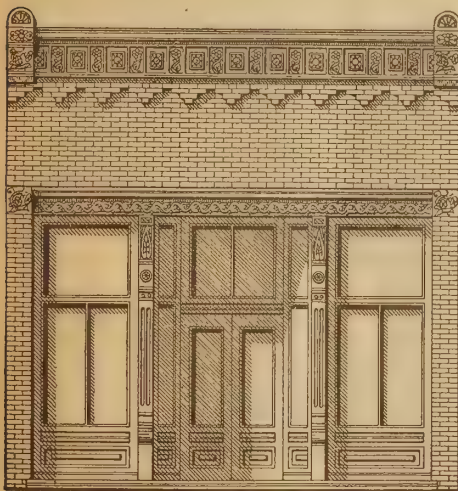
A good standard design for a brick store front, with cast-iron sills, lintels and columns, and galvanized-iron lintel cornice and main cornice. Price of cast-iron and galvanized-iron work for 18 ft. front, \$65.85; 20 ft., \$70.05; 22 ft., \$74.25. Woodwork and glass, extra.

**No. 1637.**

A brick front, in which the upper wall is carried by a pair of steel beams. It has cast-iron sill course and sash columns and galvanized-iron main cornice. Price of steel beams, cast-iron and galvanized-iron work for 20 ft. front, \$76.80. Woodwork and glass, extra.

**No. 1638.**

A brick front with cast-iron columns, sills and lintels and galvanized-iron lintel cornice and main cornice. Price of cast-iron and galvanized-iron work for 16 ft. front, \$63.00; 18 ft., \$67.35; 20 ft., \$71.70. Woodwork and glass, extra.

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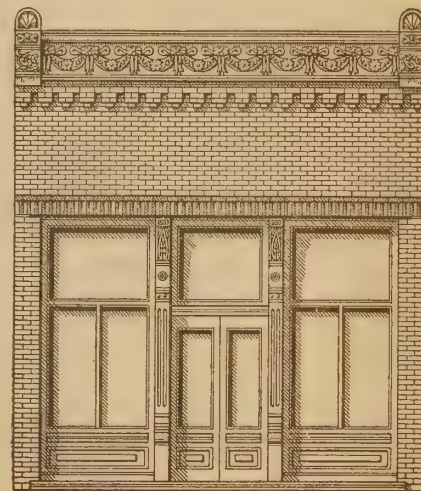
A neat and cheap design for a brick front, with cast-iron sills, lintels and columns and galvanized-iron lintel cornice and main cornice. Price of cast-iron and galvanized-iron work for 20 ft. front, \$70.00; 22 ft., \$74.85; 24 ft., \$79.70. Woodwork and glass, extra.

OUR CHEAP BRICK FRONTS

Are without doubt the handsomest and most substantial in the market. The supporting columns, used in connection with cast-iron lintels, are cast in one piece, and are, therefore, much better than steel or other columns made of plates riveted together. The cornices are handsomely stamped, and are very ornamental. The brick walls may be made plain or fancy, to suit the builder's desire, and the expense can be reduced by leaving off the main cornice, if very cheap work is wanted.

These designs may be combined to form blocks of stores, or wider buildings than here quoted. Give us the dimensions of the proposed building, and we will quote promptly on the material required.

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**No. 1640.**

A good, cheap design for brick front, without the lintel cornice. It has cast-iron sills, lintels and columns and galvanized-iron main cornice. Price of cast-iron and galvanized-iron work for 18 ft. front, \$61.35; 20 ft., \$64.05; 22 ft., \$66.75. Woodwork and glass, extra.



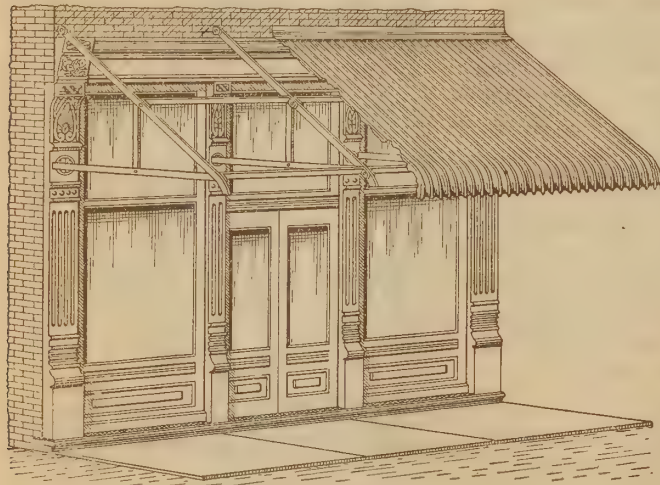
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An arrangement for the lower story of a building, with cast-iron sill course and columns and steel beam girder. This arrangement can be used for old buildings, by taking out the old style, light obstructing piers and columns, and putting in this neat and handsome work. Upon request we will send instructions for taking out old fronts and putting in one of these handsome and modern fronts, without taking down the entire front walls. Give us dimensions of your building, stating width of the front outside the walls, and the height of the story, and we will quote best prices for the iron work and steel girders, and also on the woodwork and glass.



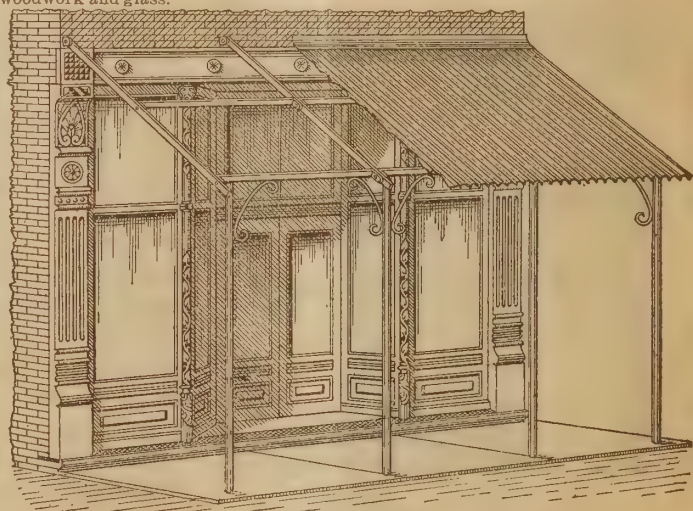
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This design shows cast-iron side columns, and also intermediate or supporting columns, with cast-iron sills and lintels, and galvanized-iron lintel cornice. A part of the cornice is left off to show the cast-iron lintels which support the brick wall. This front can be used for an old building by taking out the old front and putting this handsome work in its place. Send us the dimensions of your building, stating the width of the front outside walls, and the height of story, and we will quote best prices on the iron work, and also on the woodwork and glass.



No. 1643.

A wrought-iron, self-supporting awning frame, with corrugated iron cover. Can be made for any width of store front. Write for prices, and state whether straight or curved end covering is wanted.



No. 1644.

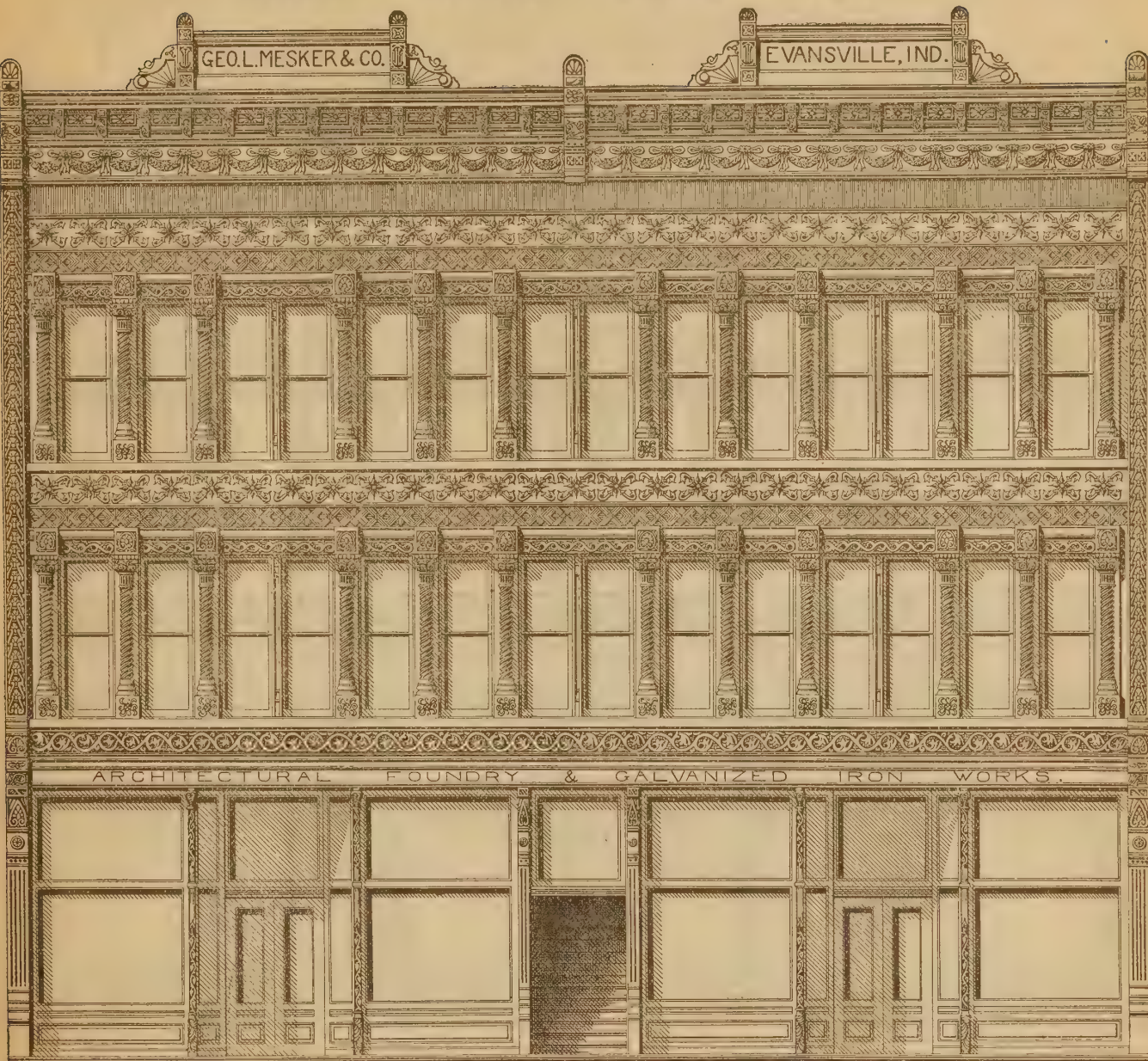
A wrought-iron awning frame, supported by tubular posts. The posts have wrought-iron brackets, as shown in the cut. Cover of corrugated iron. Can be made any width and length. Write for prices.

Get Our Figures on Your Iron Work Before You Buy.

SHEET METAL DEPARTMENT.

GEO. L. MESKER & CO.

EVANSVILLE, IND.



No. 1645.

This elegant three-story front has cast-iron columns and sills in first story and complete galvanized-iron ornamental front in second and third stories. The handsome spiral columns in second and third stories not only add much in style to the front, but are stronger than the plain columns of other manufacturers. No firm in the country can approximate the style of this work at anything near our price. The whole front, when properly painted, is a fine imitation of finely carved stone. Price of cast-iron and galvanized-iron work for 40 ft. front, \$506.70; 45 ft., \$559.20; 50 ft., \$611.70. Woodwork and glass, extra.

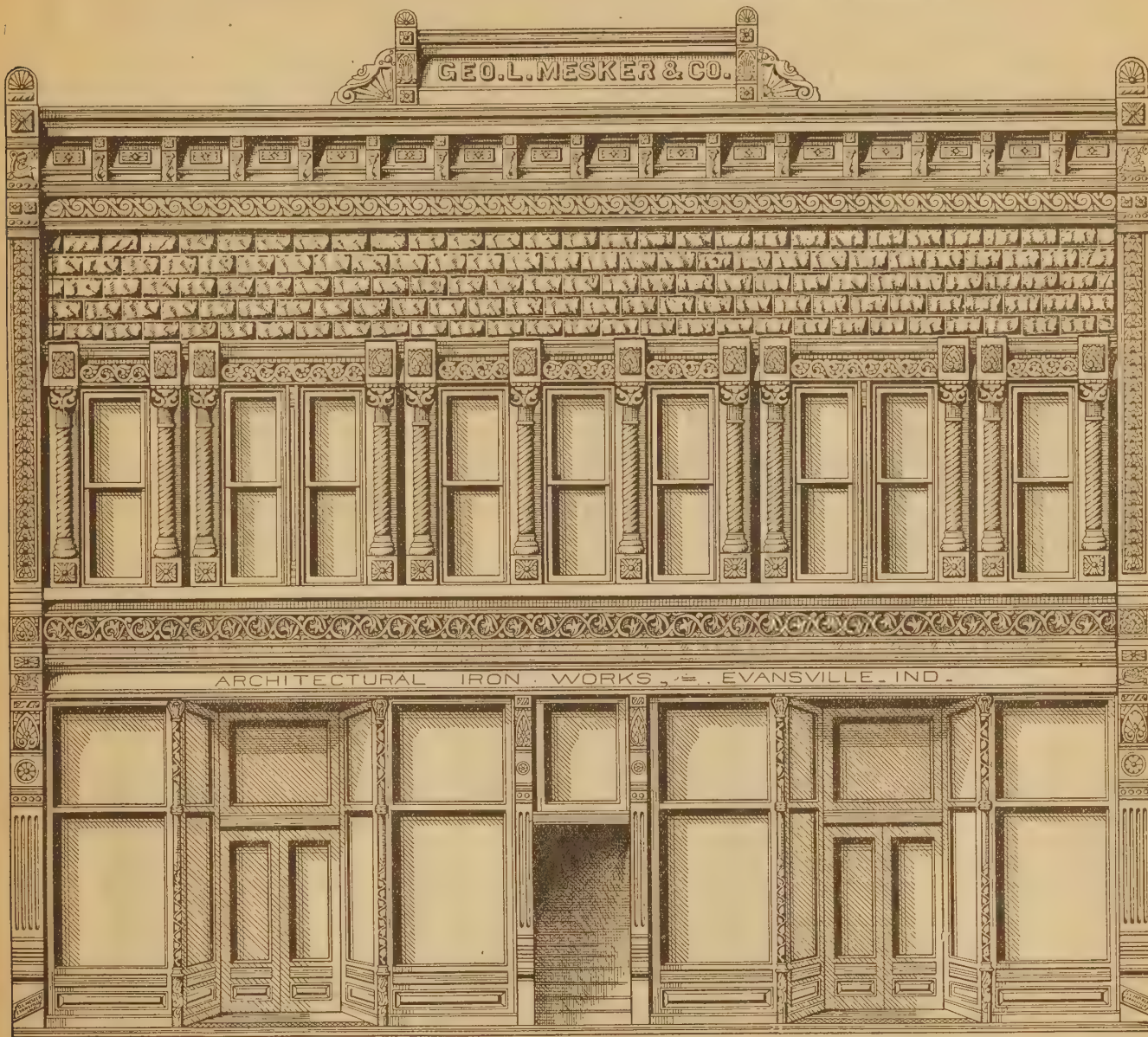
Write for Discounts or Special Prices.



No. 1648.

This is one of the finest and handsomest galvanized steel fronts made. We furnish with it cast-iron columns and sills in first story. We will be pleased to quote prices on this design for a building of any width or height. Price of cast-iron and galvanized-steel front 38 ft. wide, \$348.20; 40 ft., \$361.00; 42 ft., \$375.60. We will quote prices on woodwork and glass, which are extra, on application. If steel columns are used instead of cast-iron, the price will be less, but we prefer to furnish the best material as above listed. If something cheaper is wanted we can furnish it. Get our special prices before placing your order.

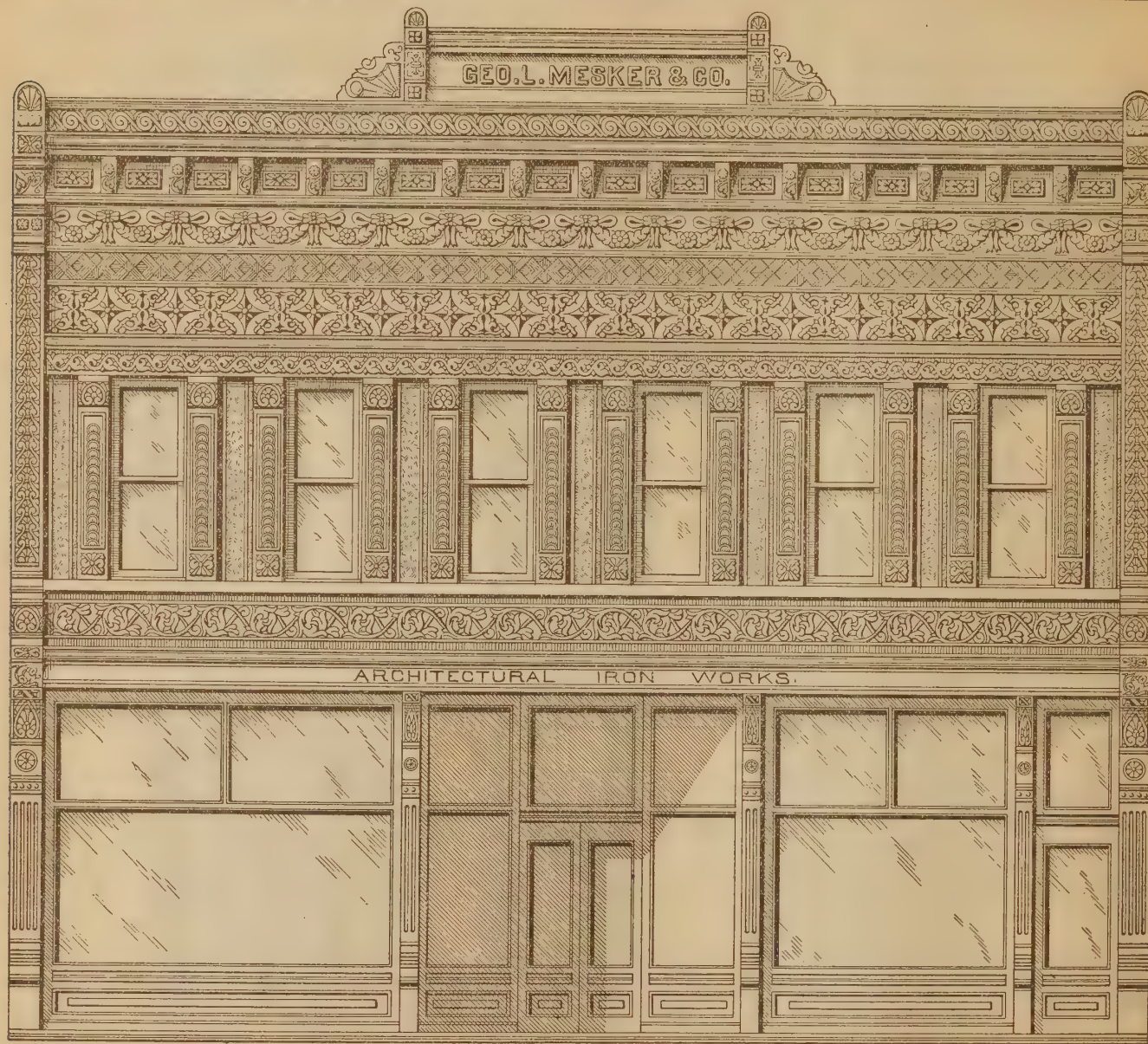
Get Our Discounts from List Prices.



No. 1647.

This handsome front is equal in style and material to No. 1646 with a combination of ornamental stamped and rock-face steel work. The entire upper front is made of galvanized-steel, and it has cast-iron columns and sills in first story. Price of cast-iron and galvanized-steel work for 40 ft. front, \$373.35; 42 ft., \$387.05, 44 ft., \$400.75. Woodwork and glass, extra. We can furnish this front for a building of any width, and for any arrangement of first story, when desired. In writing for prices, give height of stories and width of building outside the walls. Be sure to get our net figures before ordering a front. If steel columns are preferred, they can be furnished cheaper than cast iron, but they are not as good as cast-iron, and we do not recommend them.

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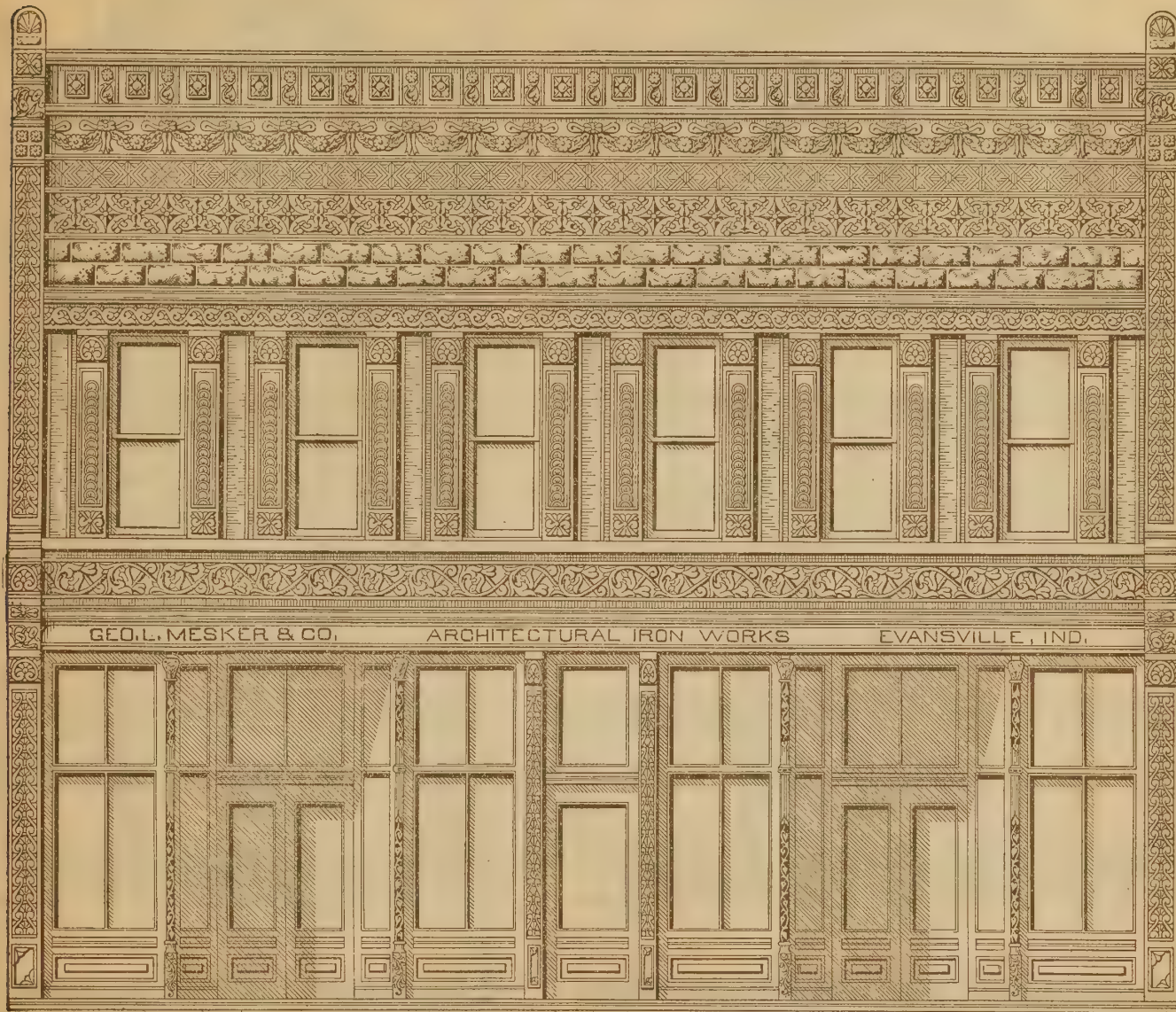


No. 1554.

This is a handsome front for a wide store room, with a stairway or hall at one side. It has cast-iron columns and sill course in first story and complete galvanized-steel front above. The upper part can also be used for a double front if desired. Price of cast-iron and galvanized-steel work for 35 ft. front, \$281.25; 40 ft., \$310.85; 45 ft., \$340.45. Woodwork and glass, extra. We will quote prices on woodwork with either plate or double-strength glass, on application. If steel columns are wanted, they will be cheaper than cast-iron, but the latter are preferable, and by far the best, and we always recommend and quote them.

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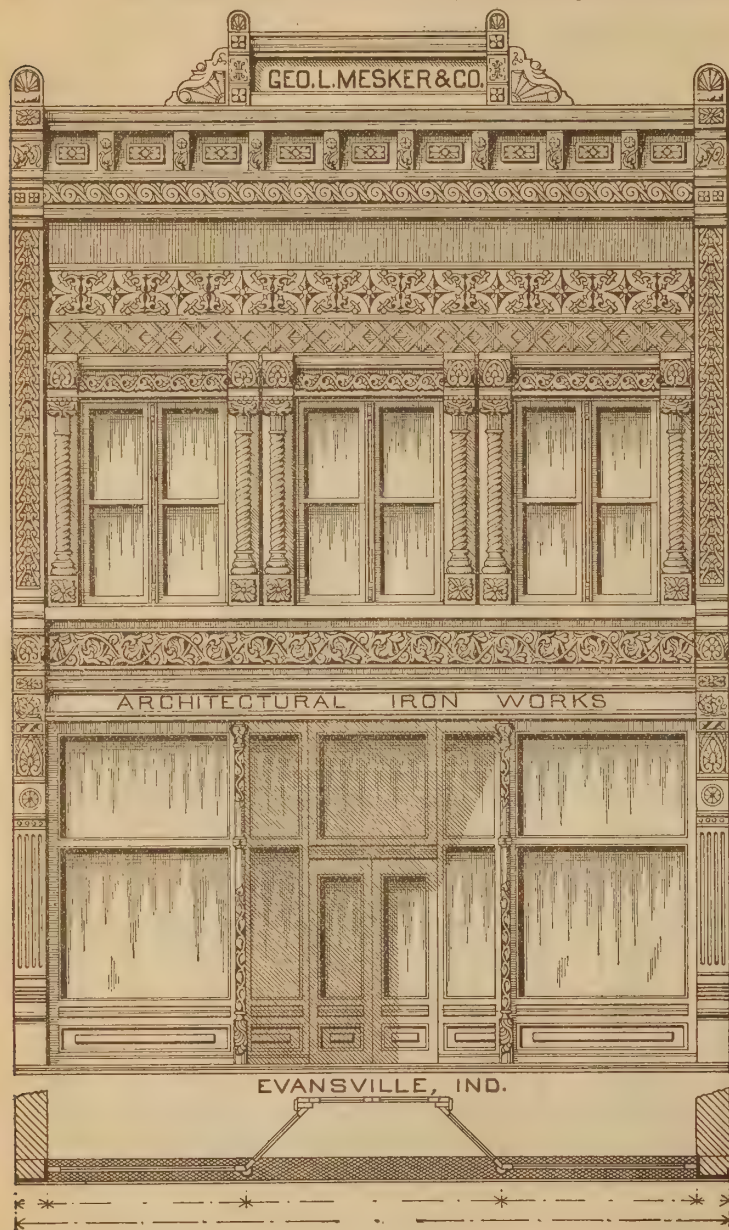
A CHEAP GALVANIZED-STEEL FRONT.



No. 1649.

This is a cheap and very handsome galvanized-steel front for two-story double store and office building. The arrangement of openings in first story can be changed if desired. We furnish elegant stamped galvanized-steel columns, and cast-iron sash columns for first story, as shown, also a cast-iron sill course. Price of cast-iron and galvanized-steel front for 35 ft. front, \$213.35; 37 ft., \$223.70; 39 ft., \$233.05. Woodwork and glass, extra. Write for prices.

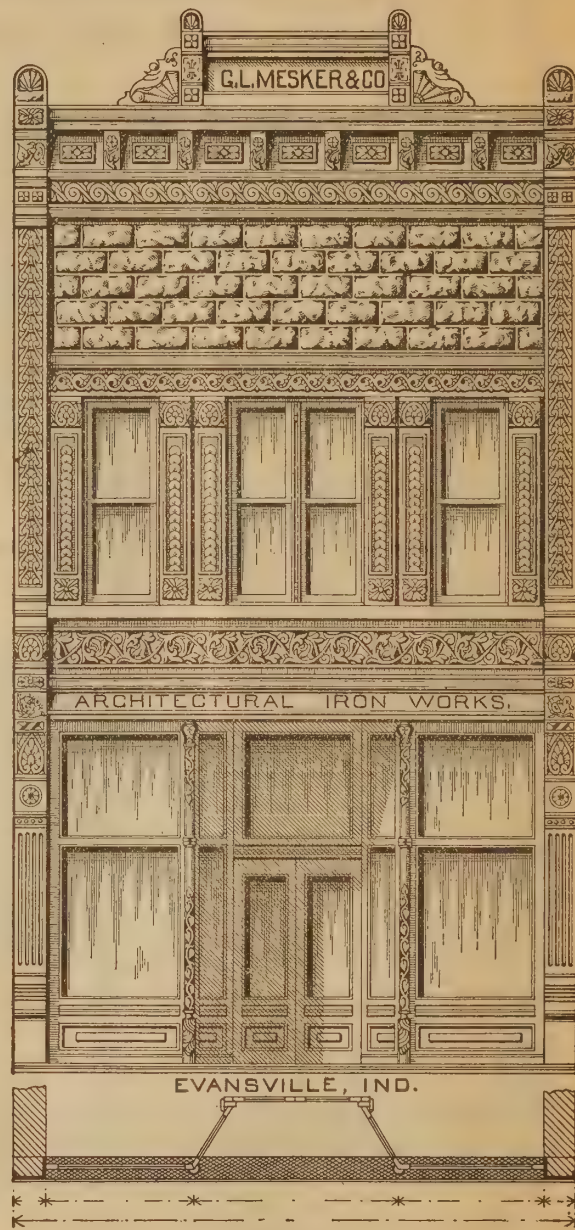
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No. 1650.

This is one of the finest stamped galvanized-steel fronts made in the United States. It has cast-iron columns and sills in first story. Price of cast-iron and galvanized-steel work for 25 ft. front, \$234.20; 27 ft., \$238.55; 29 ft., \$252.90. Woodwork and glass, extra. Prices quoted on application.

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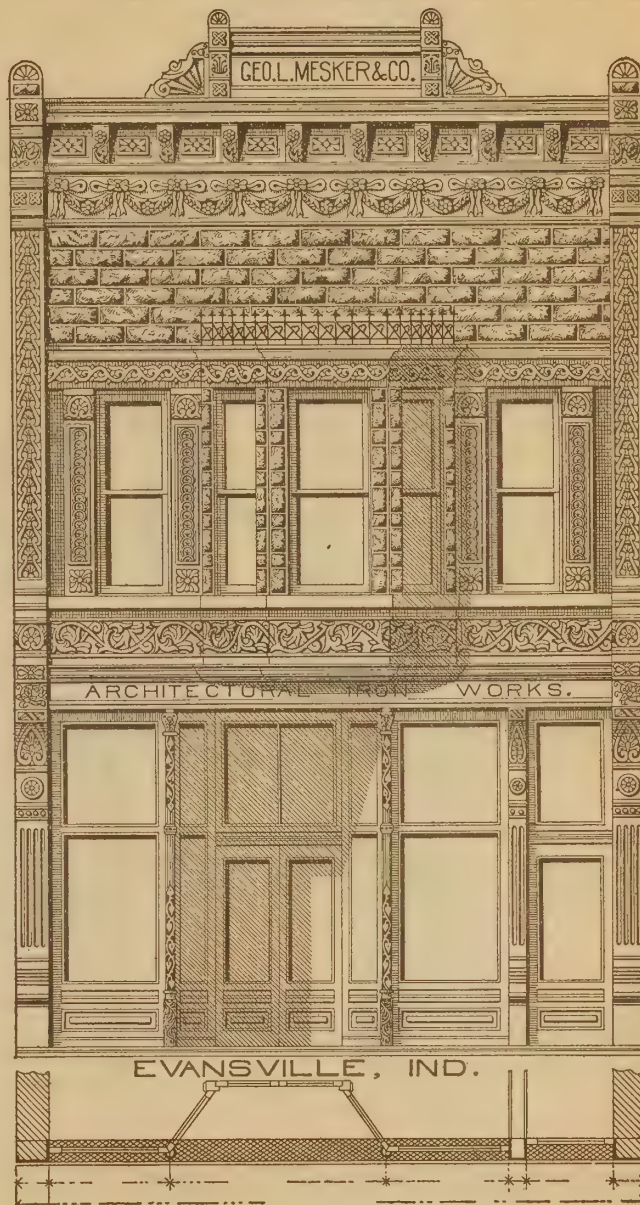
No. 1651.

A handsome combination stamped rock face and ornamental galvanized-steel front, with cast-iron sills and columns in first story. Price of cast-iron and galvanized-steel work for 18 ft. front, \$159.00; 20 ft., \$169.70; 22 ft., \$180.40. Woodwork and glass, extra.



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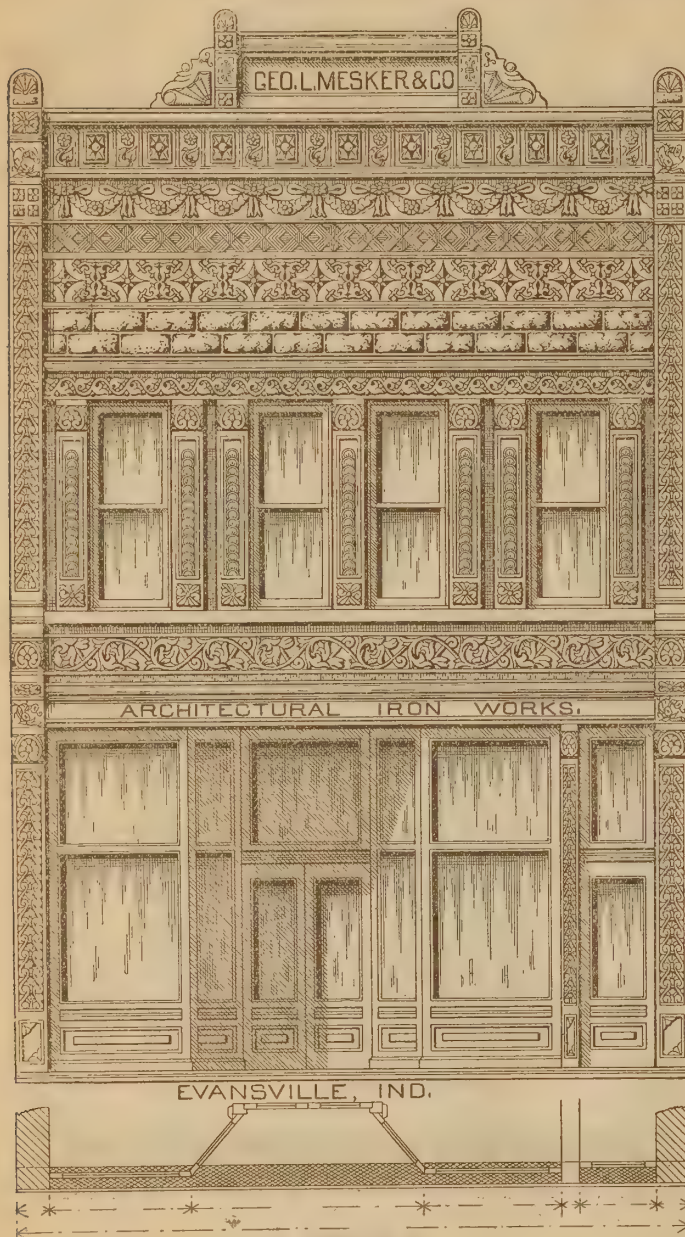
This is an elegant design of galvanized-steel front, with cast-iron columns and sills. It can be furnished without stairway entrance if desired. Price of cast-iron and galvanized-steel work for 22 ft. front, \$216.90; 24 ft., \$331.25; 26 ft., \$245.60. Woodwork and glass, extra



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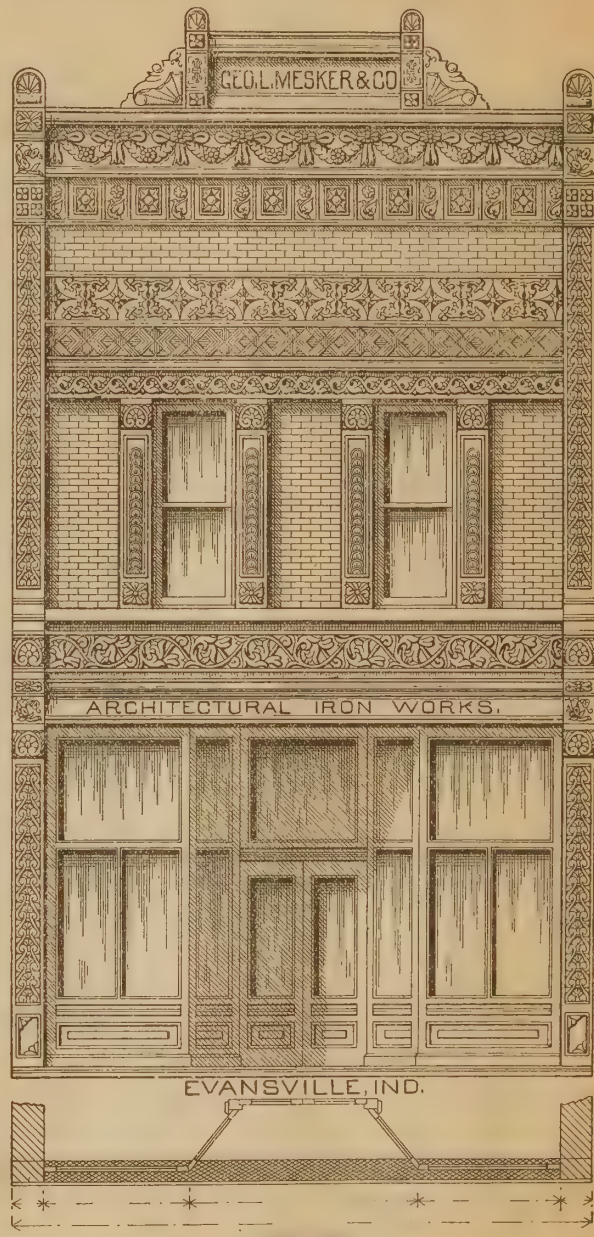
A handsome galvanized-steel front with bay window in second story, and cast-iron sills and columns in first story. An excellent arrangement for a combined store and residence. Price of cast-iron and galvanized-steel work for 20 ft. front, \$227.50; 22 ft., \$233.20; 24 ft., \$248.90. Woodwork and glass, extra.

Write for Discounts.



No. 1654.

This is a handsome low-priced galvanized-steel front, having our stamped galvanized-steel columns in first story, with cast-iron sill course. Price of cast-iron and galvanized steel work for 22 ft. front, \$129.35; 24 ft., \$139.75; 26 ft., \$150.15. Woodwork and glass, extra. Write for prices.

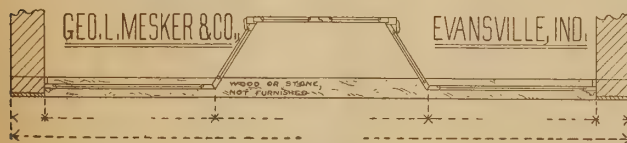
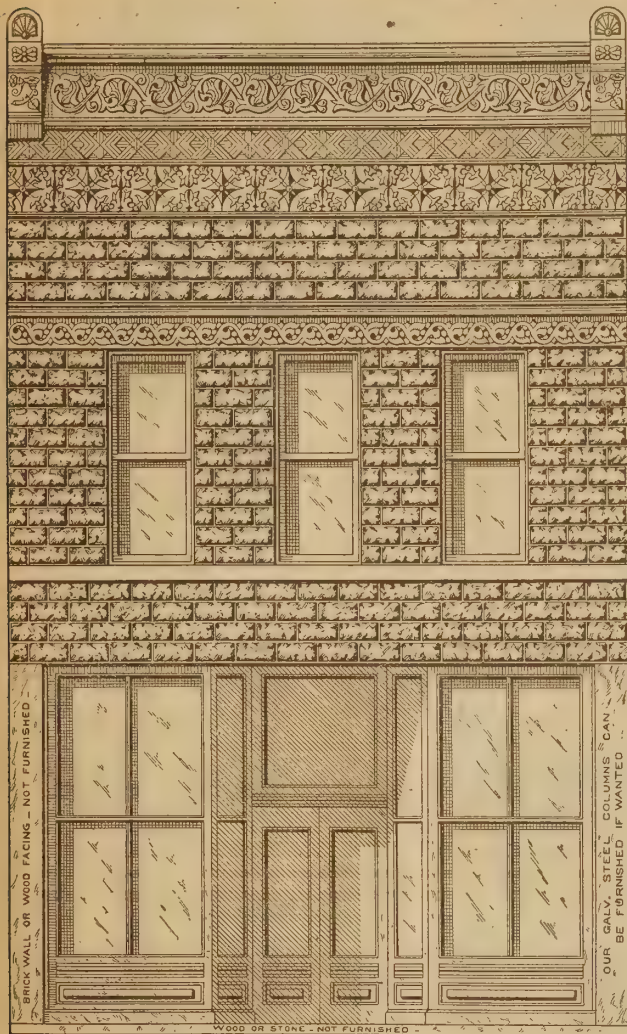


No. 1655.

A handsome combination of stamped ornamental work and galvanized-steel brick for upper front, and stamped galvanized-steel columns and cast-iron sills below. Price of cast-iron and galvanized front 18 ft. wide, \$95.70; 20 ft., \$105.05; 22 ft., \$115.40. Woodwork and glass, extra.

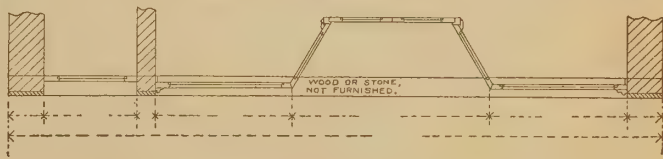
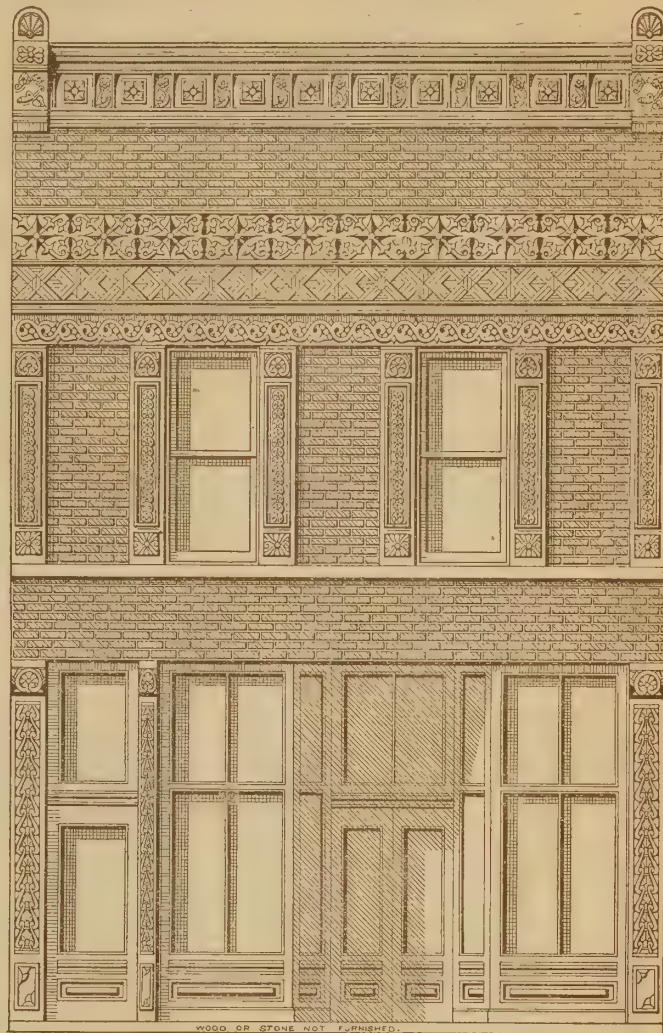
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CHEAP GALVANIZED-STEEL FRONTS.



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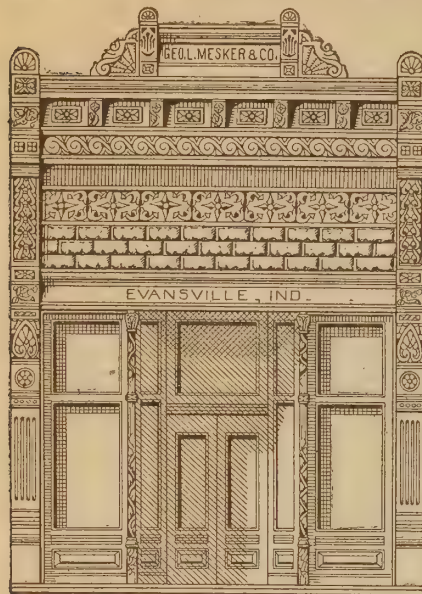
This is a handsome stamped galvanized-steel front in imitation of rough faced stone, with ornamental trimmings and stamped cornice. Price of galvanized-steel front, 20 ft. wide, \$41.70; 22 ft., \$45.90; 24 ft., \$50.10. Woodwork and glass, extra.



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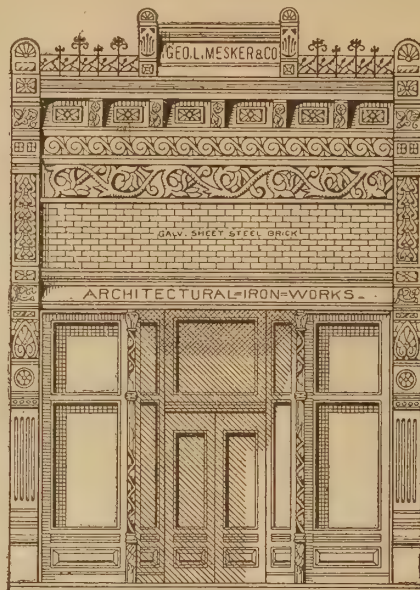
An excellent combination of galvanized-steel, brick and stamped work, with handsome stamped cornice. Price of galvanized-steel front, 20 ft. wide, \$67.50; 22 ft., \$72.50; 24 ft., \$77.50. Woodwork and glass, extra.

All List Prices are Subject to Discount.



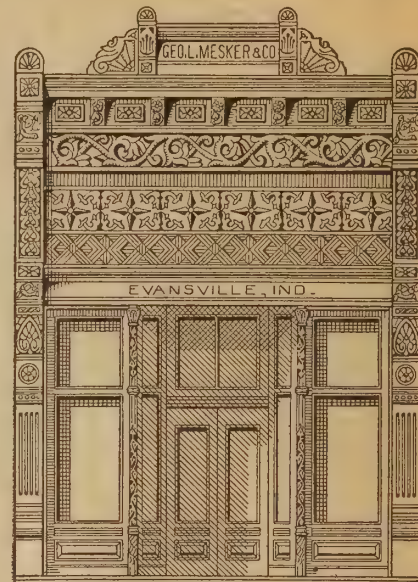
No. 1658.

A galvanized steel front, with cast-iron columns and sill course. Price of cast-iron and galvanized-steel work for 16 ft. front, \$113.70; 18 ft., \$123.20; 20 ft., \$130.70. Woodwork and glass, extra.



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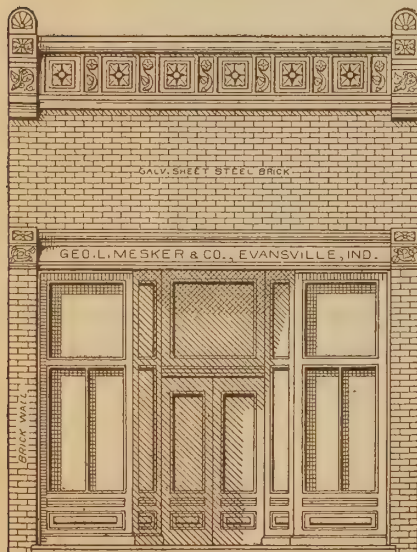
This is a new and attractive design, with full galvanized-steel front, and cast-iron columns and sill course. Price of cast-iron and galvanized-steel work for 18 ft. front, \$126.20; 20 ft., \$134.55; 22 ft., \$142.90. Woodwork and glass, extra.



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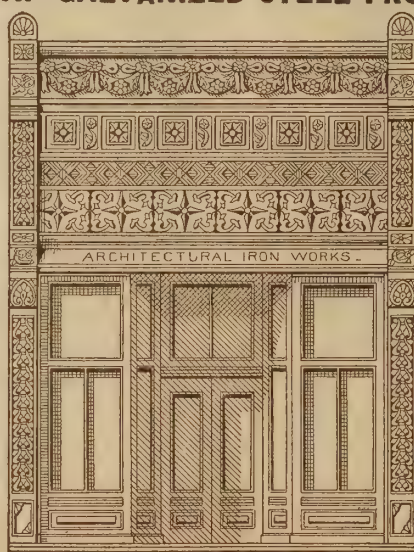
A handsome front of ornamental galvanized-steel, with cast-iron columns and sill course. Price of cast-iron and galvanized steel work for 20 ft. front, \$130.00; 22 ft., \$138.50; 24 ft., \$147.00. Woodwork and glass, extra.

CHEAP GALVANIZED STEEL FRONTS.



No. 1661.

A neat front with complete upper front of galvanized-steel, and cast-iron sill course below. Price of cast-iron sill and galvanized-steel upper front, 18 ft. wide, \$41.05; 18 ft., \$44.75; 20 ft., \$48.45. Woodwork and glass, extra.



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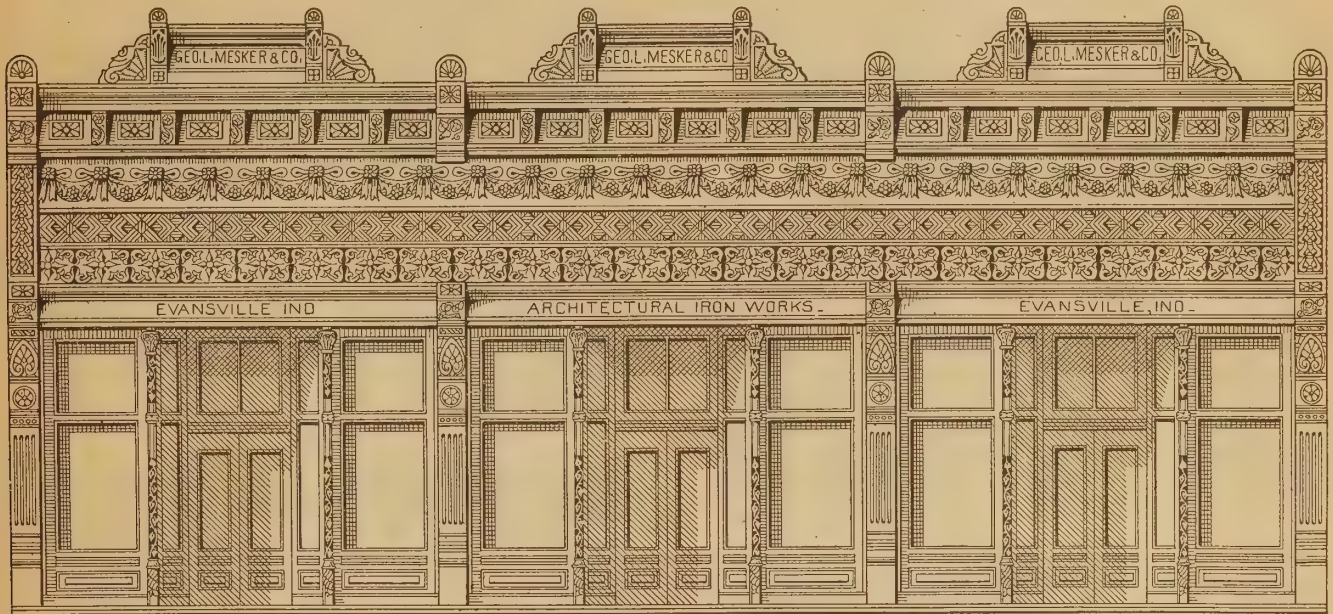
A handsome galvanized-steel front, with cast-iron sill and galvanized-steel side columns. Price of cast-iron and galvanized-steel work for 18 ft. front, \$53.70; 20 ft., \$58.40; 22 ft., \$63.10. Woodwork and glass, extra.



No. 1663.

An attractive and popular front. All the upper part galvanized-steel, with cast-iron sill below. Price of sill course and galvanized-steel work for 18 feet front, \$42.00; 20 feet, \$46.70; 22 feet, \$51.40. Woodwork and glass, extra.

Write for Discounts.



No. 1664.

This handsome design can be used for any number of store fronts and of any width desired. The metal work consists of cast-iron sills and columns below and galvanized-steel front above. Alterations in plan can be made to suit any customer, and special drawings will be sent, showing changes, when necessary. Price of cast-iron and galvanized steel work, as shown above for 50 ft. front, \$295.00; 52 ft., \$303.50; 54 ft., \$312.00. Woodwork and glass, extra. Prices quoted on application.

New and Cheap.

A CHEAP GALVANIZED STEEL FRONT.

Our line of galvanized sheet-steel fronts are new, original and handsome designs. They are superior in every way to the old-style, time-worn designs that are shown in the catalogues of most manufacturers which have not been improved or changed for years. Our designs are conceded by all to be elegant and attractive. They are so easily put up that the cost of setting one of our fronts will not exceed one-half the expense of setting one of the fronts of other manufacturers. Our work is so easily understood that no one can possibly have any trouble in placing it on a building. They make excellent fronts for frame buildings, and are also largely used for fronts of brick buildings, but they are not considered as nearly fire-proof nor substantial as our handsomely finished brick fronts, such as are shown on pages 3 to 28, inclusive, in this catalogue, on account of the wood studding with which the galvanized-steel fronts are usually backed. These fronts can be backed with brick, to make them fireproof, if desired, which would add to the cost.

We guarantee to give the best values obtainable in any style of front that we furnish.



No. 1665.

A handsome combination of galvanized-steel brick and stamped work. Cast-iron sill below. Price of sill course and galvanized-steel upper front, 34 ft. wide, \$73.70; 36 ft., \$78.05; 38 ft., \$82.40. Galvanized-steel side and middle pilasters extra, if wanted. Woodwork and glass, extra. Prices quoted on application.

Write for Discounts.



No. 110. Price, \$1.84 per ft.



No. 111. Price, \$1.67 per ft.



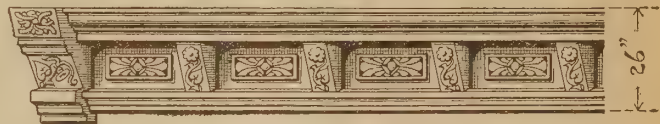
No. 112. Price, \$1.50 per ft.



No. 113. Price, \$1.25 per ft.



No. 114. Price, \$1.10 per ft.



No. 115. Price, 85c. per ft.



No. 116. Price, 60c. per ft.

GALVANIZED IRON CORNICES.



No. 126. Price, \$12.50 and upwards.



No. 127. Price, \$16.70 and upwards.



No. 128. Price, and \$8.35 upwards.



No. 129. Price, \$6.70 and upwards.

GALVANIZED IRON PEDIMENTS.



No. 117. Price, \$1.00 per ft.



No. 121. Price, 85c. per ft.



No. 118. Price, \$1.00 per ft.



No. 122. Price, 50c. per ft.



No. 119. Price, 75c. per ft.



No. 123. Price, 50c. per ft.



No. 120. Price, 67c. per ft.



No. 124. Price, 42c. per ft.



No. 125. Price, 25c. per ft

CALVANIZED IRON CORNICES.



No. 130. Price, \$2.95.



No. 133. Price, \$6.70.



No. 136. Price, \$3.35.



No. 139.



No. 140.



No. 131. Price, \$3.75.



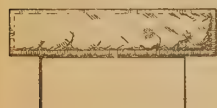
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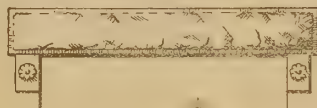
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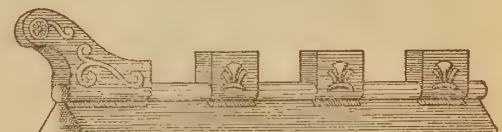
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No. 135. Price, \$5.00.



No. 138. Price, \$2.95.



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CALVANIZED IRON WINDOW CAPS.

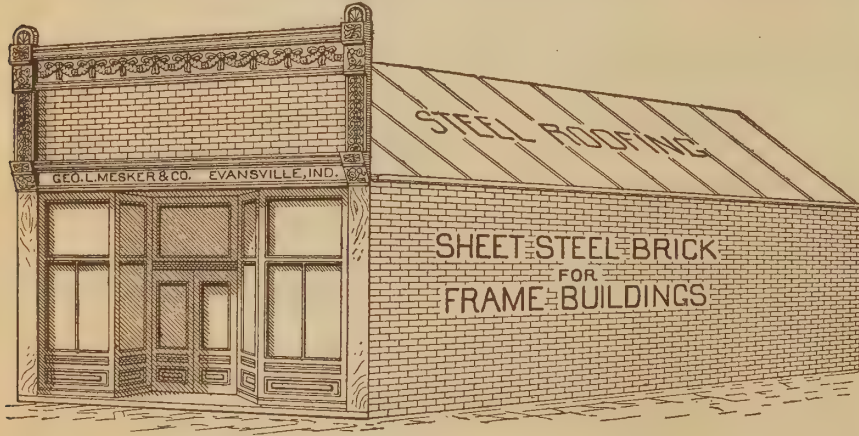
Calvanized Iron Adjustable Cresting

CHEAP FRONTS FOR FRAME BUILDINGS.



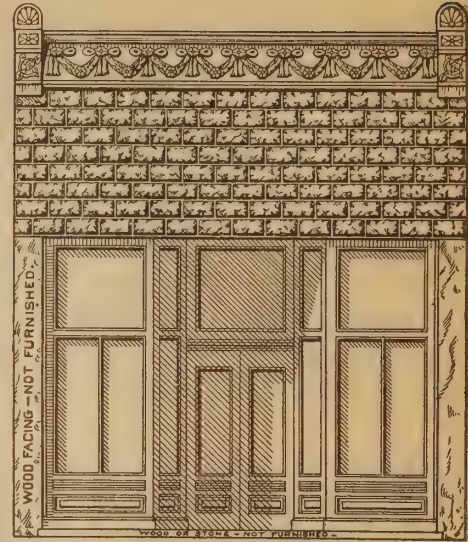
No. 1666.

This design shows a cheap store front and Rock-face steel siding. Old frame buildings can be fitted with handsome fronts at a very low price. Don't use weather-boarding when you can get these handsome fronts so cheap. Send us dimensions of your building and see how cheap we can make a fine front of it—equal in appearance to a fine brick building.



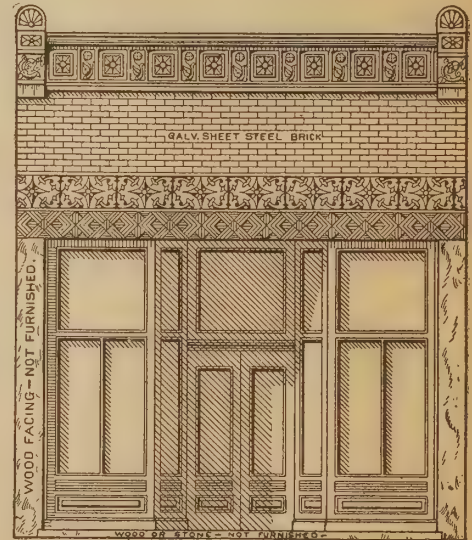
No. 1667.

This excellent design for a one-story frame building has the appearance of a handsomely ornamented brick building. The material is adapted to old or new buildings, and can be very easily put on by any mechanic. Send us dimensions of your building and let us show you how cheap you can make a beautiful and attractive store out of it.



No. 1668.

A rock-face front with stamped cornice, very neat and attractive. A front of this kind is so cheaply and easily put on that it can be used on any building, new or old. send us dimensions of building and get our prices.



No. 1669.

This is a very cheap galvanized sheet metal front, which is adapted to old or new buildings, and can be put on by any person without difficulty. Write for prices.

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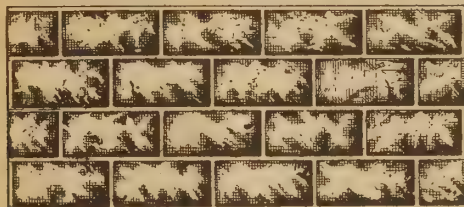
STEEL ROOFING AND SIDING.



No. 225.

Steel Brick Siding.

This material has come so largely into general use in the past few years as to be a staple article. We make it with plain or rough face, of black sheet steel painted, and also of galvanized steel. We furnish it in sheets 26x96 inches, carefully crated for shipment. It can be put on a building by any mechanic. It is a splendid substitute for weather-boarding and other wood sidings, and can be put on in one-half the time necessary to put on wood sidings.



No. 226.

Rock-Faced Siding.

This siding is made in sheets 26x96 inches. By some it is preferred to the plain brick siding on account of the broken rough surface. It makes a handsome finish for a frame building, giving it the appearance of a stone building. Any mechanic can put it on easily. We also furnish this material in 26x96 inch sheets with stones 2 1/4 x 9 inches in imitation of rough faced brick. All sidings carefully crated for shipment. Made in painted black steel or galvanized steel. Write for prices.



No. 227.

V-Crimped Steel Roofing.

Our V-crimped Steel roofing can be put on new or old buildings by any mechanic. We furnish it in black steel, painted or galvanized steel, in sheets from 5 to 10 feet long, and 24 inches wide from center to center, with all necessary triangular wood sticks to go under the crimps. This roofing can be put on over old shingles by using nails long enough to reach the sheathing. It can be put on in less than one-half the time required to put on shingles. This is the most convenient roofing made for farm buildings, sheds and warehouses.

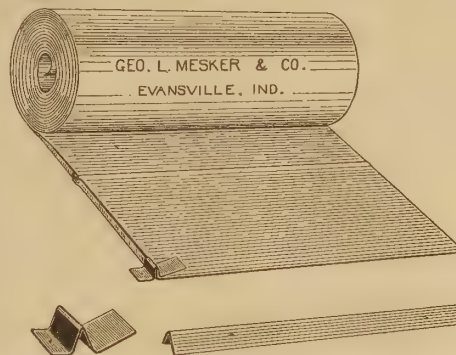
We are prepared to make prompt shipments of all kinds of steel roofing and siding. There is a great saving of time in the use of steel for the roofs and sides of buildings. They can be put on so much quicker and easier than shingles and weather boarding that they have become deservedly popular, and thousands of tons are used annually. Can be used on old buildings over the shingles and wood siding, where protection against fire is desired. Write us for prices.



No. 228.

Corrugated Steel Roofing or Siding.

This is the most convenient material in the market for roofing or siding. You simply nail it on without any bending or seaming, and the work is done. All roofings should receive a coat of mineral paint after they are put on, to protect any scratches that they may have received. We furnish corrugated steel in 5 to 10 feet lengths. It is very cheap, and if kept properly painted will last well. We do not claim that it is as good as the higher priced roofings, but it is cheaper and more easily put on. Corrugated steel should not be used on very flat roofs.



No. 229.

Roll and Cap Steel Roofing.

This is the best form of steel roofing, and if properly put on and kept covered with paint will last almost indefinitely. If there is any condition which will cause the roof to sweat it should have a layer of roofing paper under it. We furnish tools for putting on this roofing at a low price and will buy them back again if returned, freight paid and in good order.



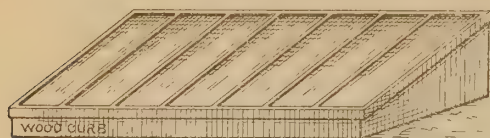
No. 230.

Standing Seam Steel Roofing.

This is a popular form of Steel Roofing, and it makes a good sound roof when put on properly. We furnish tools for putting it on which can be kept for future use or we will allow the full price charged for them if returned in good order, freight paid.

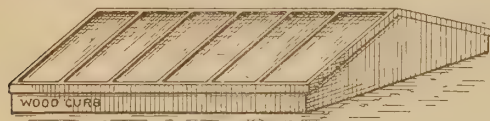
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Prices quoted on application on Galvanized-Iron, non-leaking skylight frames and rough plate glass.



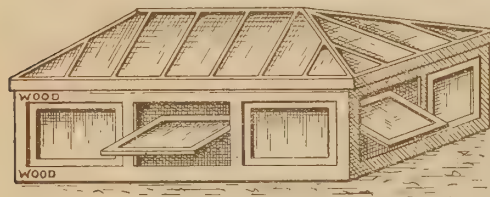
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We furnish the glass cut to exact sizes. Carefully packed in boxes.



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In writing for prices of skylights, give dimensions of opening outside the curb.



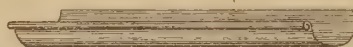
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Galvanized Iron Skylight Frames.



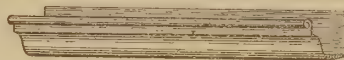
No. 144.
Price, \$6.70

Write us for prices of any galvanized-iron work required for residence or other buildings, such as finials, crestings, dormer windows, also cast-iron crestings, or other ornamental work.



No. 231.

Galvanized Iron Hanging Gutters.



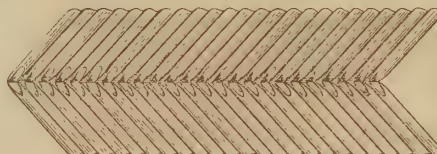
No. 232.

Galvanized Iron Moulded Gutters.



No. 141.

Galvanized Iron Ridge Roll.



No. 233.

Bent Corrugated Ridging.

We furnish Plain Galvanized Iron Lap Joint Gutters in 8-foot lengths, from 5 to 10 inches diameter or larger. They can be nested for shipment and sent at a low rate of freight. Meters also furnished as desired.

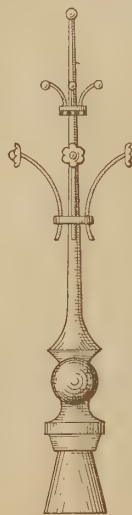
Moulded Gutters and Cornice Mouldings of any shape furnished to order. The Gutters are made in 8-foot lengths and usually from 6 to 19 inches wide and nested for shipment.

Our Galvanized Iron Ridge Roll runs from 8-inch to 14-inch girth, and larger. Furnished in 8-ft lengths. We also furnish valleys gutter lining and hip coverings.

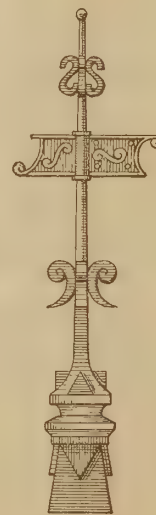
These Corrugated Ridgings are convenient for finishing the tops of gable roofs covered with corrugated iron. It is cheap and easily applied, and fits in the corrugations of the roofing. We can also furnish corrugated wood strips to use on corrugated iron in connection with plain ridge roll, if this is preferred.



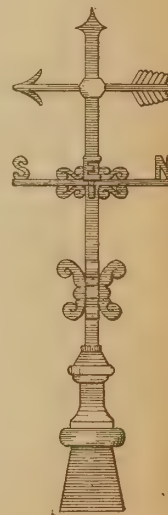
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Price, \$8.35



No. 145.
Price, \$10.85



No. 146.
Price, \$12.50



No. 147.
Price, \$12.50

CALVANIZED IRON WEATHER VANES AND TOWER FINIALS.

SHEET METAL CEILINGS.



No. 156.

CONVENTIONAL PATTERN.

Price, \$6.25 per square, including moulding.



No. 157.

ROSETTE DESIGN.

Price, \$6.25 per square, including moulding.



No. 253.

STAMPED CENTER PIECE.

Price, \$2.50 each.

directly to the joists. We furnish them carefully crated for shipment, with one coat of paint on both sides. They last as long as the building stands, and can be washed or repainted at small cost when discolored by smoke. They are very cheap and convenient. Don't think of putting a wood or plaster ceiling in a store room, when one of these handsome and durable ceilings can be put in so cheaply. Send us the dimensions of your room and get our net prices.

These are excellent designs of sheet-metal ceilings, which we are prepared to furnish for rooms of any size or shape. They are furnished in large sheets, which makes them easier to place in position than the ceilings furnished in small pieces by other manufacturers. It is not necessary to use furring for our ceilings, unless the joists are very uneven and then only so much as may be necessary to even up the joists. There is less liability of errors being made in putting up our ceilings than with the ceilings of other manufacturers. They can be started either at the side or middle of the room, as preferred, and can be attached to old plastering or wood ceilings or



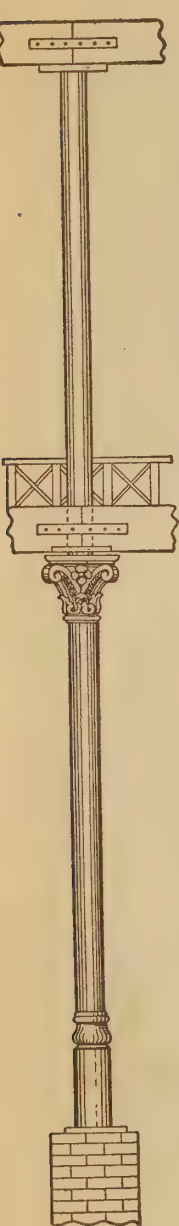
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CROSS BEADED CEILING.

Price, \$5.85 per square.

Write for Discounts.

CEO. L. MESKER & CO., EVANSVILLE, IND.



No. 158.



No. 159.



No. 160.



No. 161.
Round
Columns.



No. 162.
Sash
Columns.



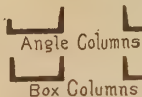
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Pipe
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No. 164.



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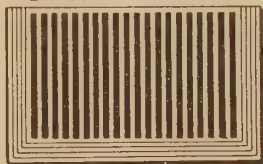
Angle Columns



Box Columns

Cast Iron Columns

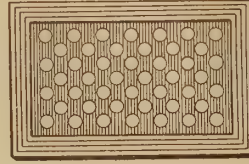
Our columns are cast in one piece, including base and capital, and are superior to any columns made of steel or iron plates, riveted together. Our work is first-class in all respects. Prices quoted on application.



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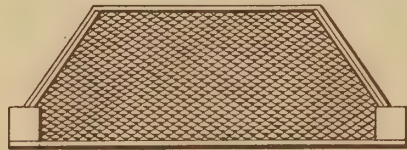
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Concrete Pavement Lights.
With Bulls-Eye Glass Lights.



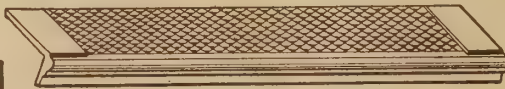
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Wrought Iron Pavement Grates.



No. 171.

Cast Iron Vestibule Sills.



No. 172.

Cast Iron Door Sills.



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Cast Iron Window Sills.



No. 174.

Cast Iron Lintels.



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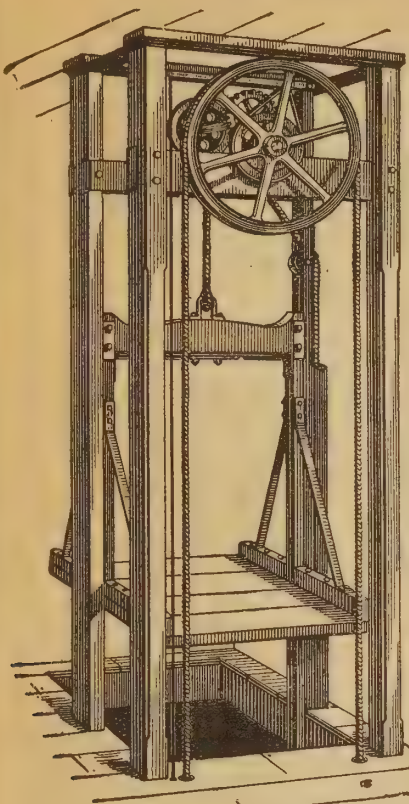
Hitching Posts.

Spout Guards.

No. 166.
Interior Columns.

Write for our lowest prices on any iron work required for Building, giving exact measurements and all necessary particulars.

GEO. L. MESKER & CO.,
EVANSVILLE, IND.



No. 195.

ELEVATORS.

We issue a special catalogue of elevators, containing descriptions and cuts of

Hand Elevators, Dumb Waiters and Carriage Elevators.

Suitable for Factories, Stores, Warehouses, Private Houses, Hospitals, etc. They are simple, safe and strong, and have latest improvements. We will take pleasure in quoting prices on complete elevators or machinery only. Let us know what you want to use an elevator for, and we will give price of a suitable machine.

Send for Special Catalogue.



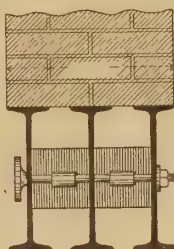
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Steel Beams and Channels Kept in Stock.

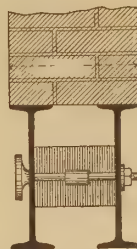


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We keep a large stock of Steel Beams and have a large building especially arranged for handling, cutting and punching beams of 50 ft. lengths and under. In addition to the large stock carried, we have special arrangements with the largest rolling mills to fill our orders promptly. We are therefore prepared to quote low prices on any arrangement of beams, and make prompt shipments. Send us plans or particulars of any beams required and get our prices.



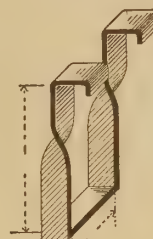
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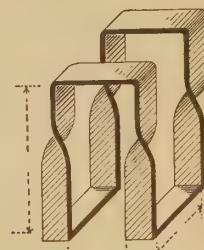
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Sections of Steel Beam Girders.

Showing the manner in which beams are arranged for the support of brick walls.



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No. 201.

Wrought Iron Stirrups.

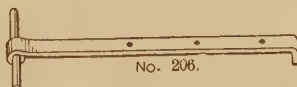
We will take pleasure in quoting on wrought iron work of any kind. Write for prices.



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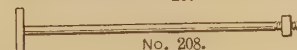
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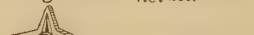


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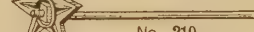
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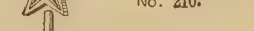
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Wrought Iron Anchors, Rods & Bolts.

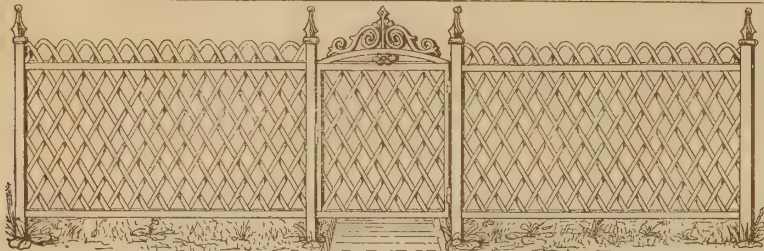
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One Story
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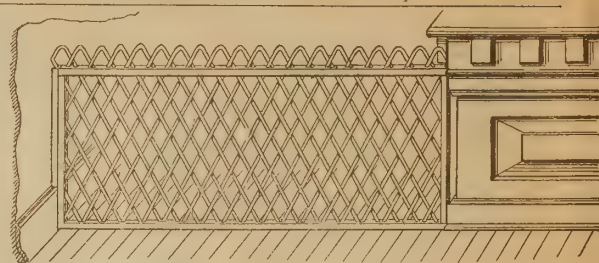
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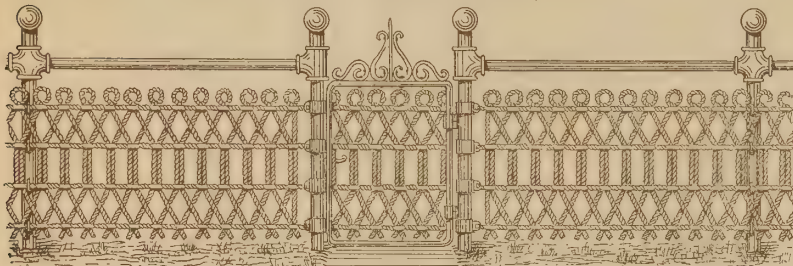
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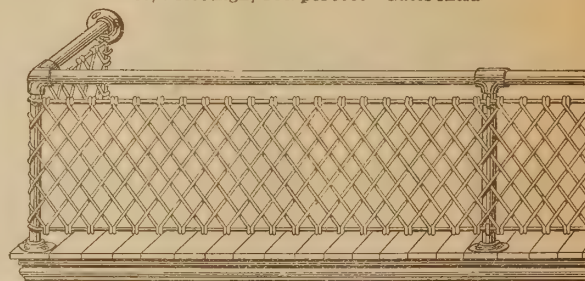
No. 235. Wire Fence and Wire Gate.
Price, 3 ft. high, \$1.00 per foot. Gate \$4.30 extra.



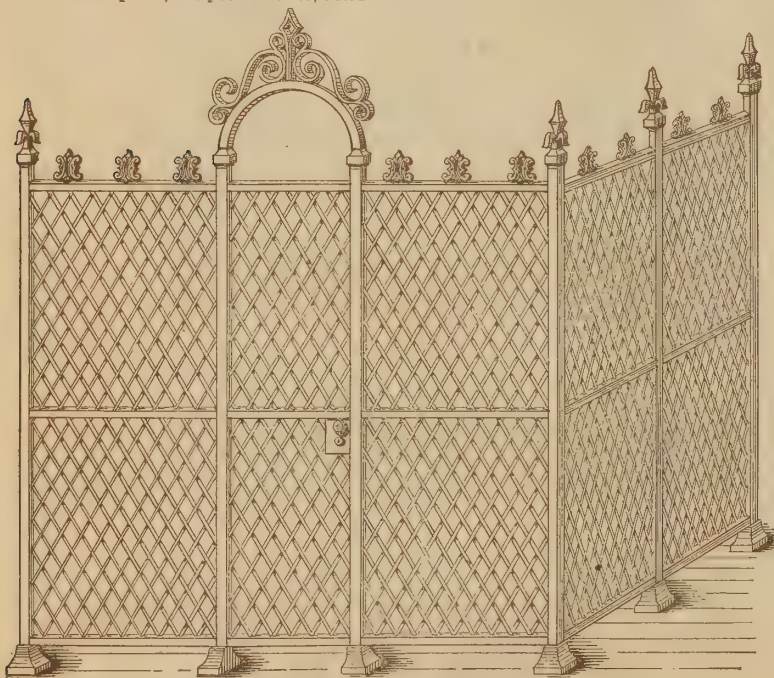
No. 238. Wire Floor Railing.
Price, 3 feet high, 85c. per foot. Gates extra.



No. 236. Machine Woven Wire Fence.
Price, complete with posts and rail, \$1.00 per foot. Wire fabric only, for wood posts, 60c per ft. Gate, extra.



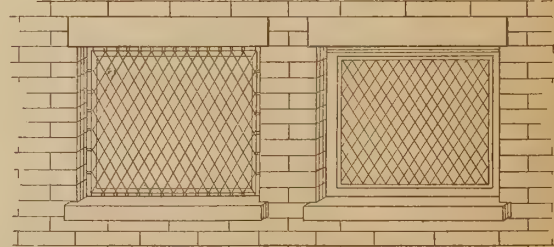
No. 239. Combined Wrought Iron and Wire Balcony Rail.
Price, 3 feet high, \$1.00 per ft. Wire only, for wood posts, 70c. per ft.



No. 237. Wire Partition Railings.
Price of No. 10 wire, 2 inch mesh, 42c per square foot. Gates, \$8.35 each.
Write for Discount.

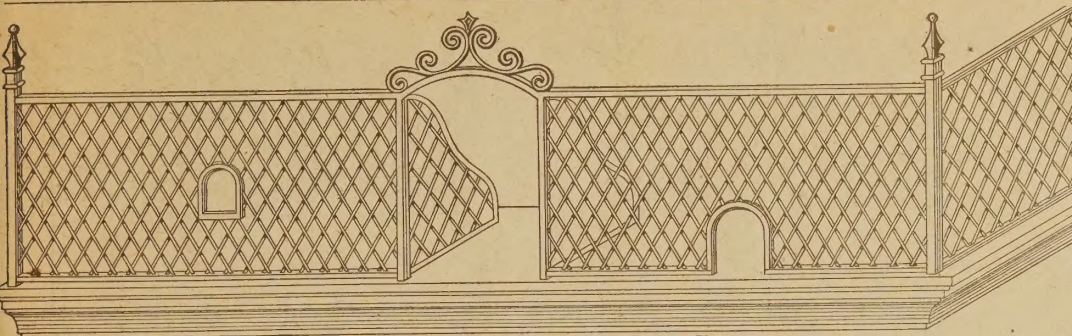


No. 240.
Write for prices of any kinds of special Wire Work required.



No. 241. Wire Window Guards. No. 242.
Price, round iron frames; 1 inch mesh, No. 12 Wire, 24c per sq. foot.
Same, with square frames, 34c per square foot.
Write for special prices of other sizes.

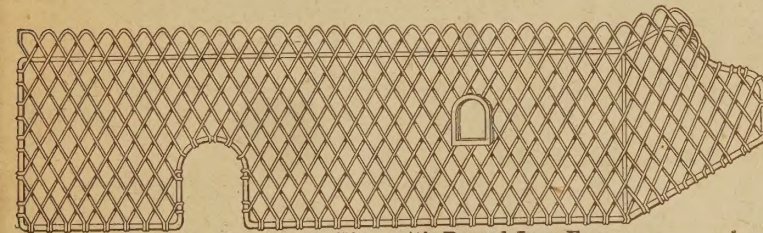
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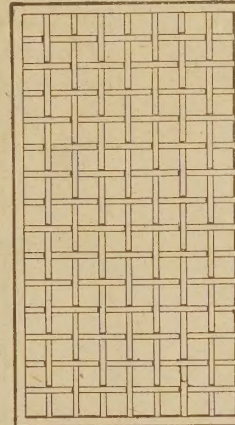
No. 243. Counter Railing with Square Frame.
Price, 30 inches high, 85c. per ft. Cash holes, arch and returns, extra.



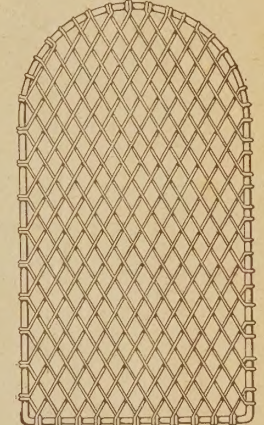
No. 244. Nursery Guard.
Price, 24 in. high, 70c. per ft.



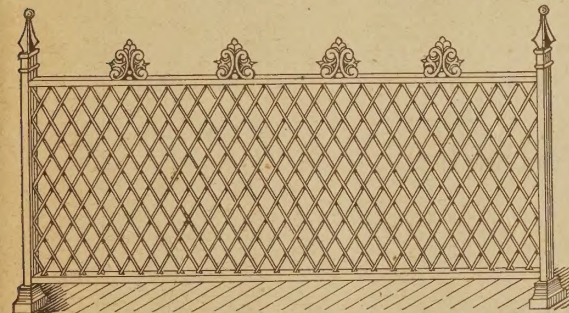
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Price, 30 inches high, 70c. per ft. Cash holes extra,



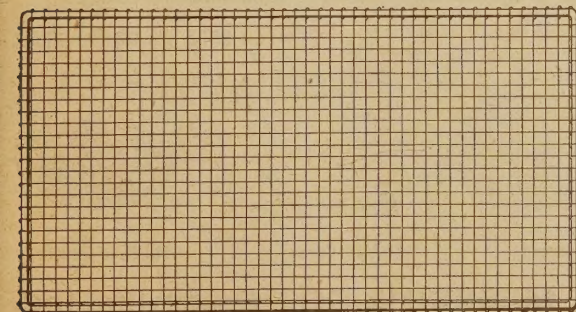
No. 246. Flat Wire Guards.
Price 50c. per sq. ft. and upwards.



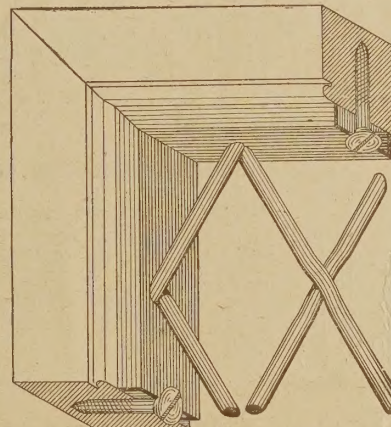
No. 247. Special Window Guards.
Price 35c. per sq. ft. and upwards.



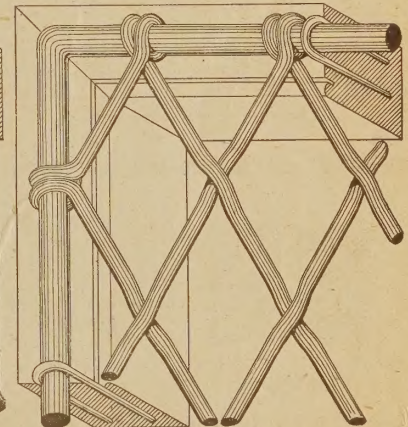
No. 248. Floor Railing.
Price, 3 ft. high, \$1.20 per ft. Gate, extra.



No. 249. Galvanized Square Mesh Window Guards.
Price of $\frac{1}{2}$ in. or $\frac{3}{4}$ in. mesh 20c. per sq. ft. and upwards, according to size required.



No. 251.
Detail, showing arrangements of Window Guards with square or channel iron frame.



No. 252.
Detail, showing arrangement of Wire Guards with Round Iron Frames.



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18 in. high. 40c ft.



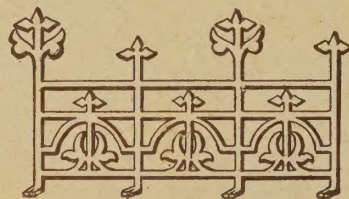
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21 in. high. 45c ft.



No. 182
21 in. high. 45c ft.



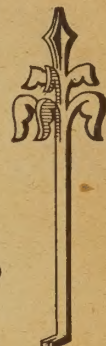
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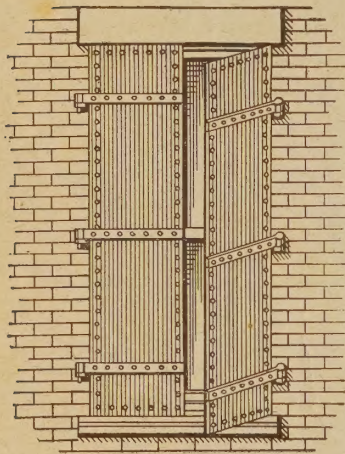


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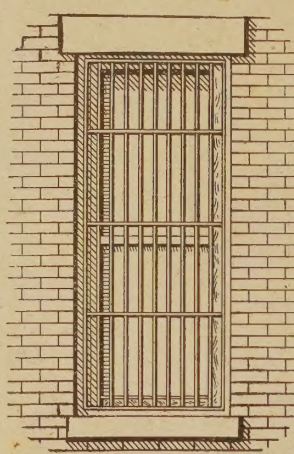
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CAST IRON ROOF CRESTING.



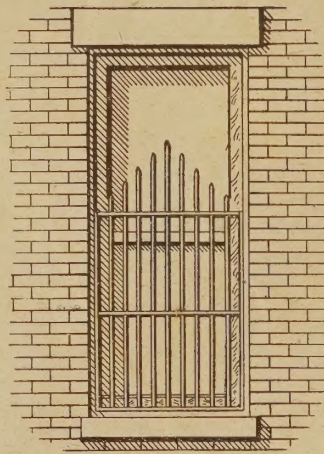
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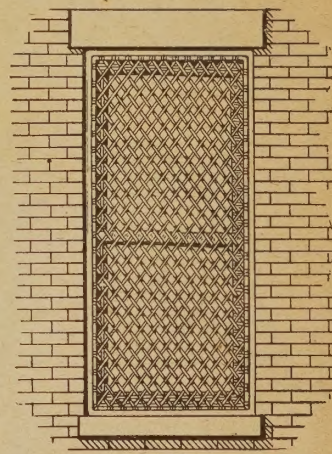


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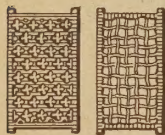


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No. 187.

CRIMPED WIRE WINDOW GUARDS.



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Air Grates.

We will send on application, a list of sizes of our cast-iron air grates, and quote prices on same. We furnish also special grates of any size, for show windows, cornices, etc.

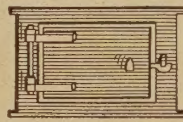


No. 191.

Sash Weights.

Prices Quoted on Application.

Our stock sizes of sash weights run from 4 to 18 lbs. We will quote prices on application, and will also figure on special weights of any size, either iron or lead.



No. 192.
Ash Pit Doors.



No. 193.
Cistern Covers.



No. 194.
Coal Hole Covers.

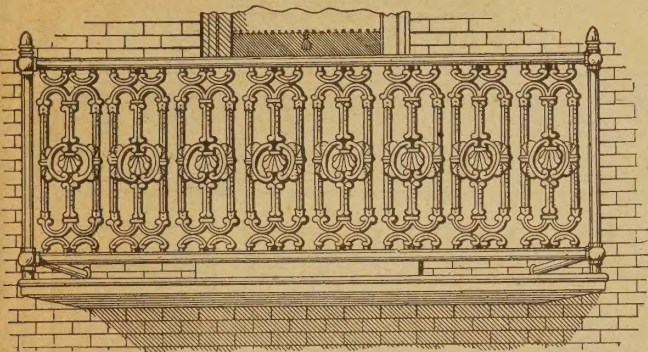
See Pages 44 and 45 for Other Kinds of Wire Work.

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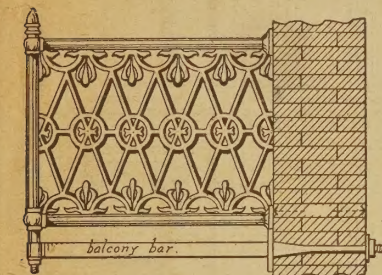
STAIRWAYS AND RAILINGS.

Our facilities for the manufacture of Stairways and Railings are not surpassed by any firm in the country. Our stairways are easier to set up than those made by any other manufacturer, and they are light and strong. Give us dimensions of stairway required, and get our prices.



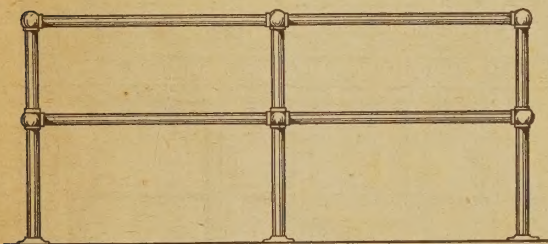
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Combined Wrought and Cast Iron Balcony Railings.



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Balcony Railings and Bars



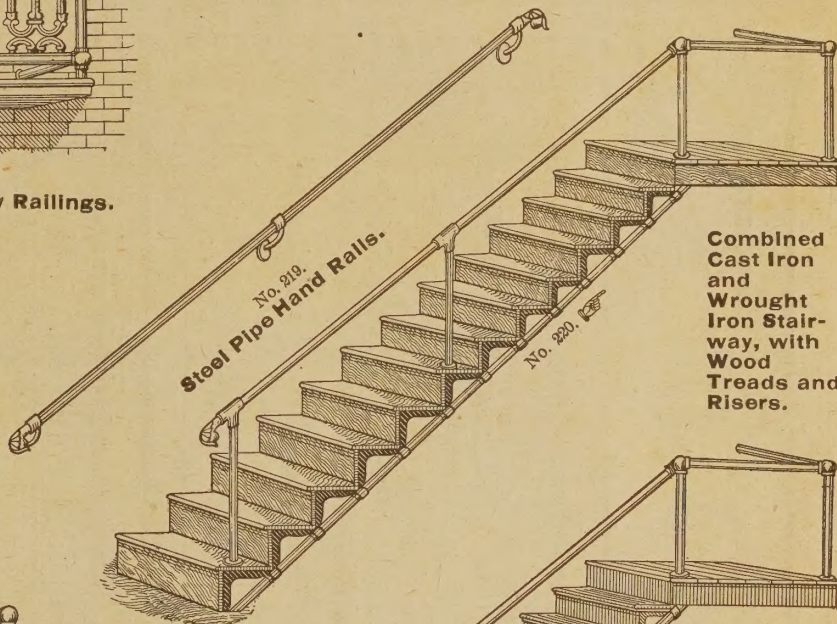
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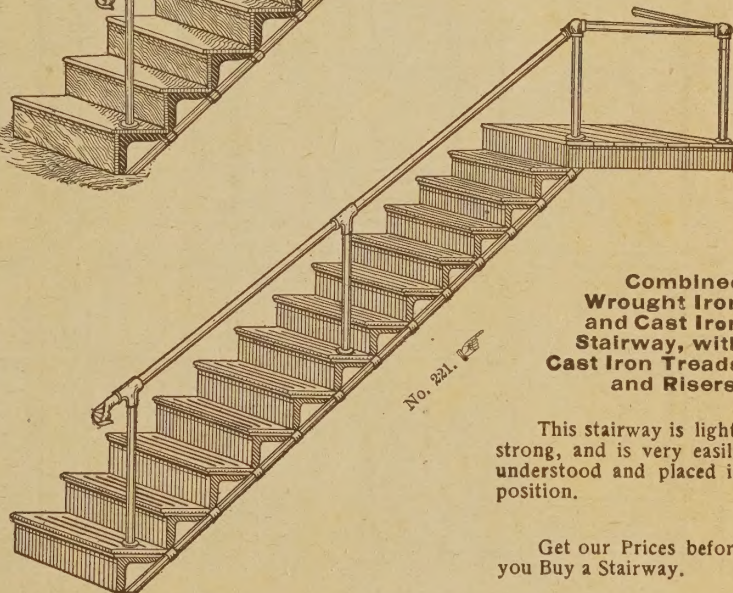


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Pipe Foot Rail.



Combined Cast Iron and Wrought Iron Stairway, with Wood Treads and Risers.



Combined Wrought Iron and Cast Iron Stairway, with Cast Iron Treads and Risers.

This stairway is light, strong, and is very easily understood and placed in position.

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